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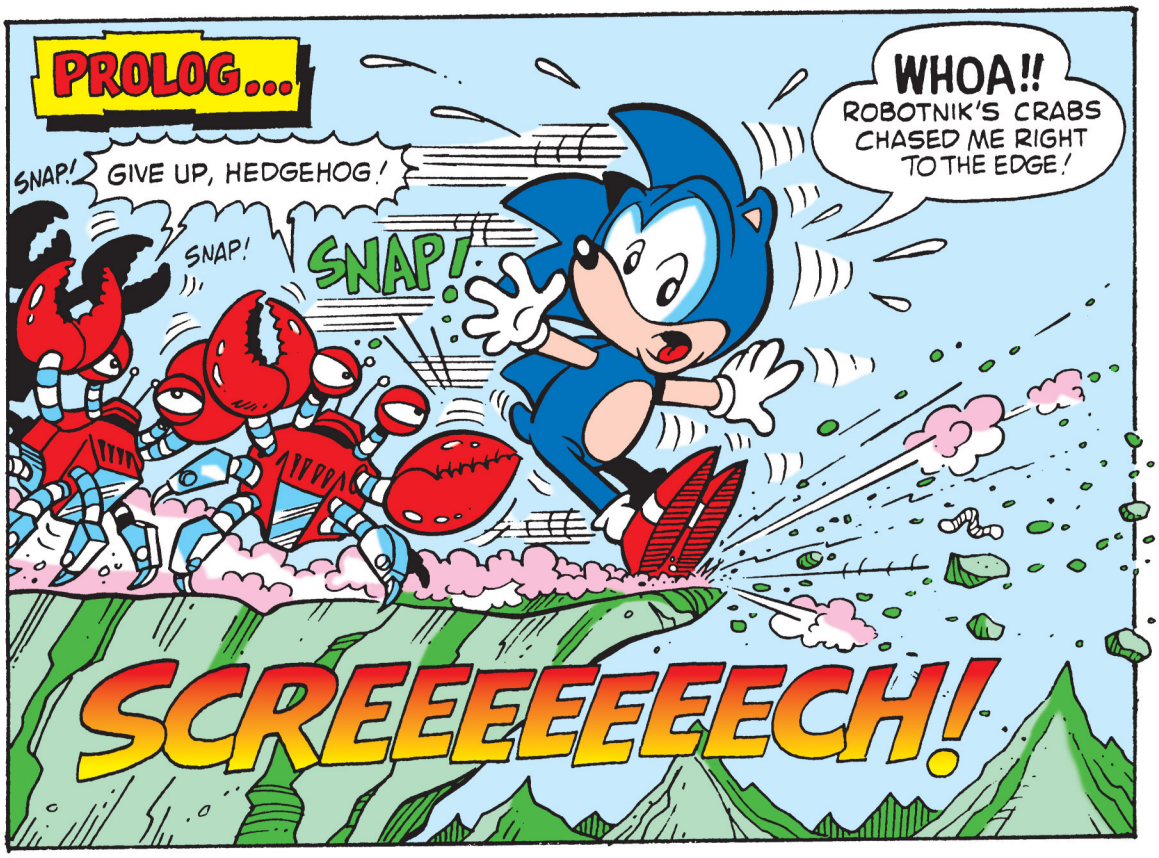
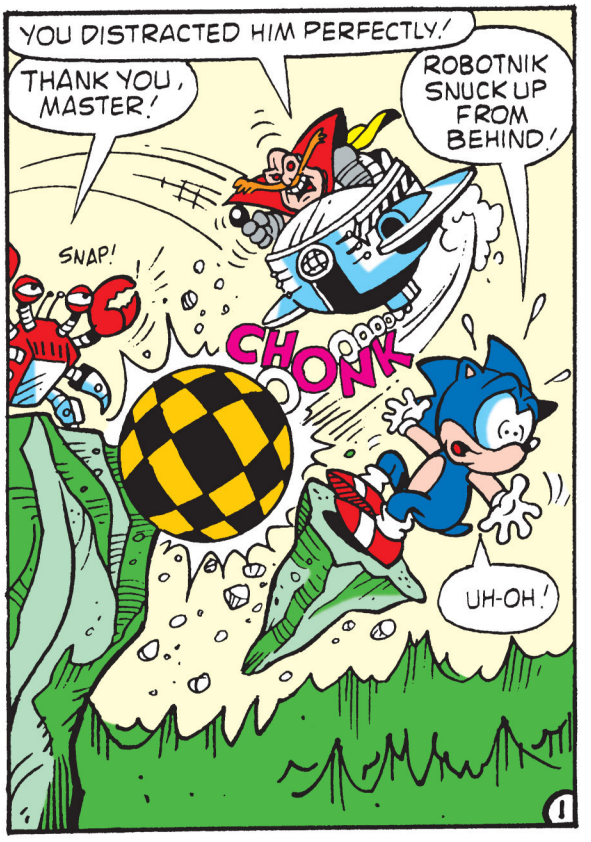
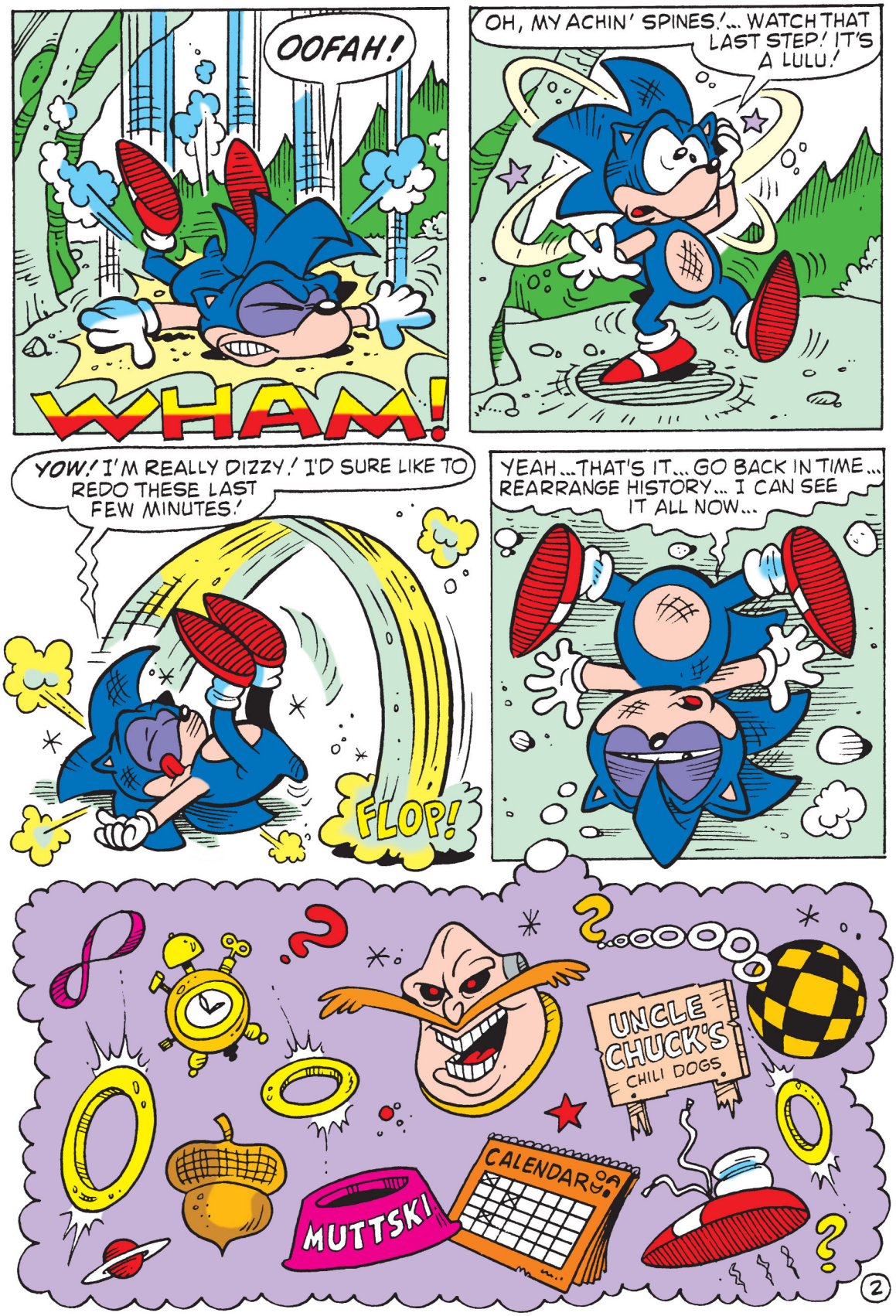

PROLOG...
SNAP!
GIVE UP, HEDGEHOG!
SNAP!
SNAP!
WHOA!!
ROBOTNIK'S CRABS CHASED ME RIGHT TO THE EDGE!
SCREEEEEEEECH!

WHAT I'M *GIVING* IS FAT LIPS!... C'MON, PUT UP YOUR DUKES... ER... CLAWS... UMM... WHATEVER!


YOU DISTRACTED HIM PERFECTLY!
THANK YOU, MASTER!
ROBOTNIK SNUCK UP FROM BEHIND!
SNAP!
CHONK
UH-OH!


OOFAH!
WHAM!
OH, MY ACHIN' SPINES!... WATCH THAT LAST STEP! IT'S A LULU!
YOW! I'M REALLY DIZZY! I'D SURE LIKE TO REDO THESE LAST FEW MINUTES!
FLOP!
YEAH...THAT'S IT... GO BACK IN TIME... REARRANGE HISTORY... I CAN SEE IT ALL NOW...
UNCLE CHUCK'S CHILI DOGS
CALENDAR
MUTTSKI
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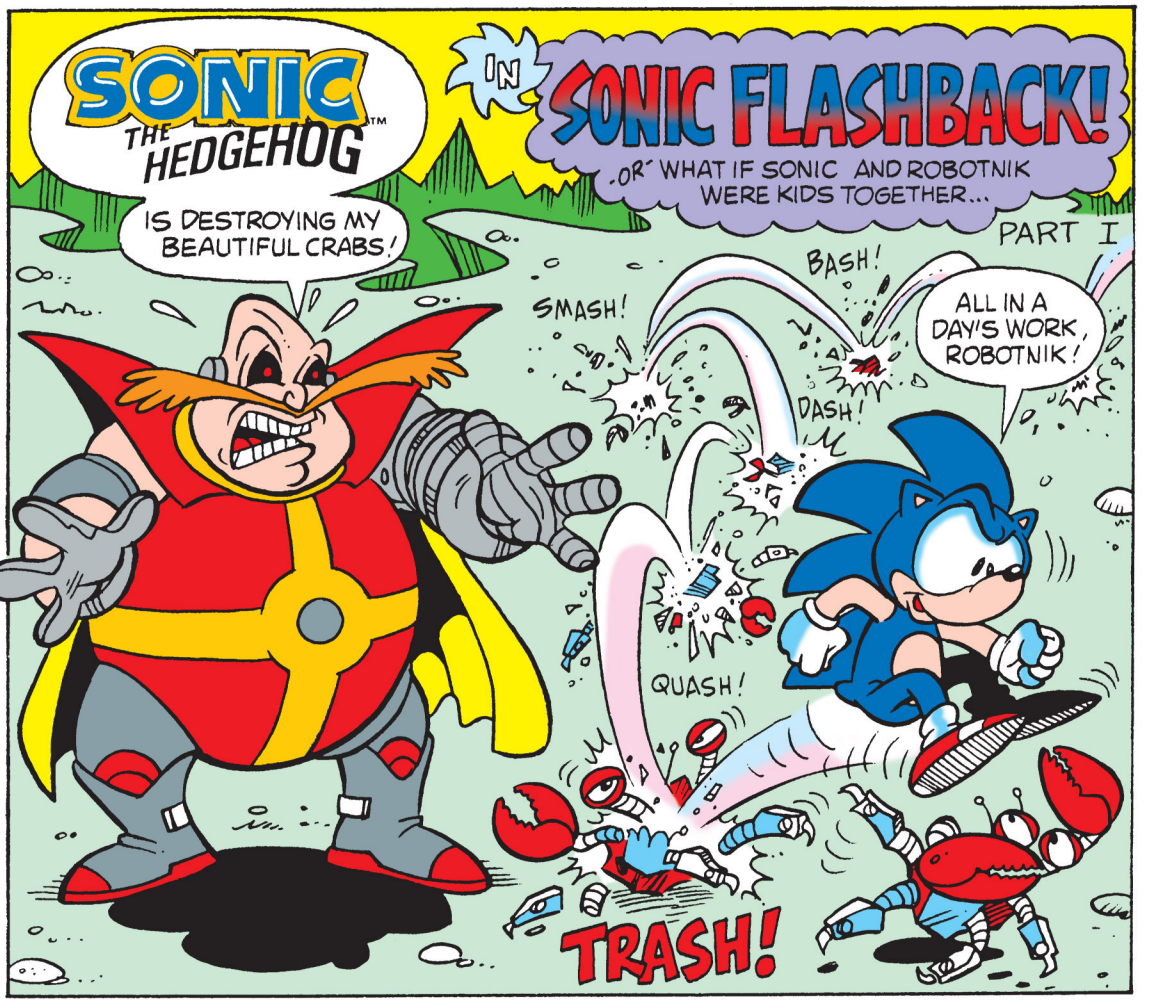

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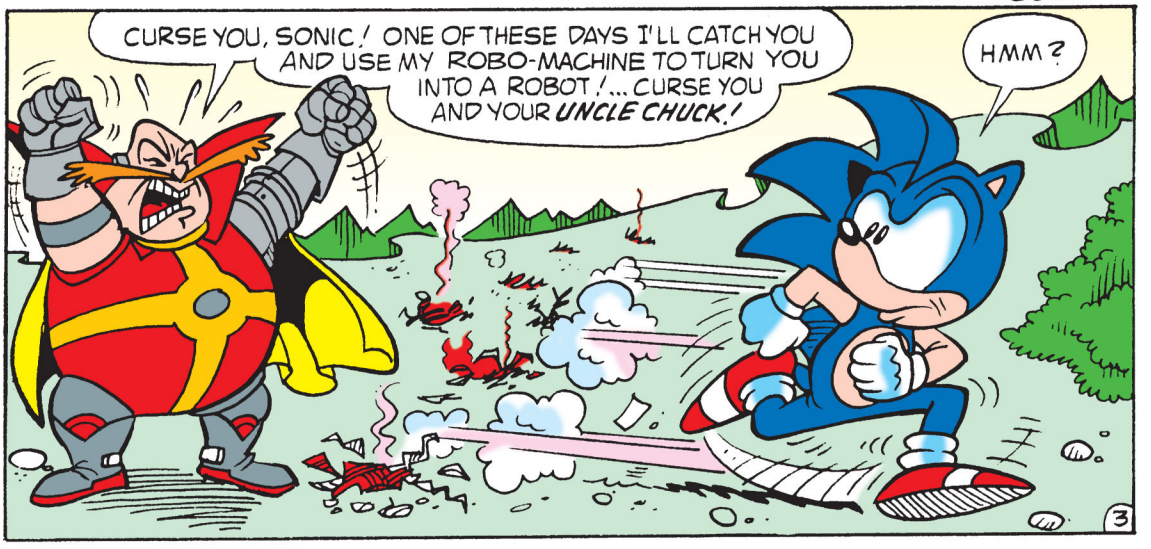
CURSE YOU, SONIC! ONE OF THESE DAYS I'LL CATCH YOU AND USE MY ROBO-MACHINE TO TURN YOU INTO A ROBOT!... CURSE YOU AND YOUR UNCLE CHUCK!
HMM?
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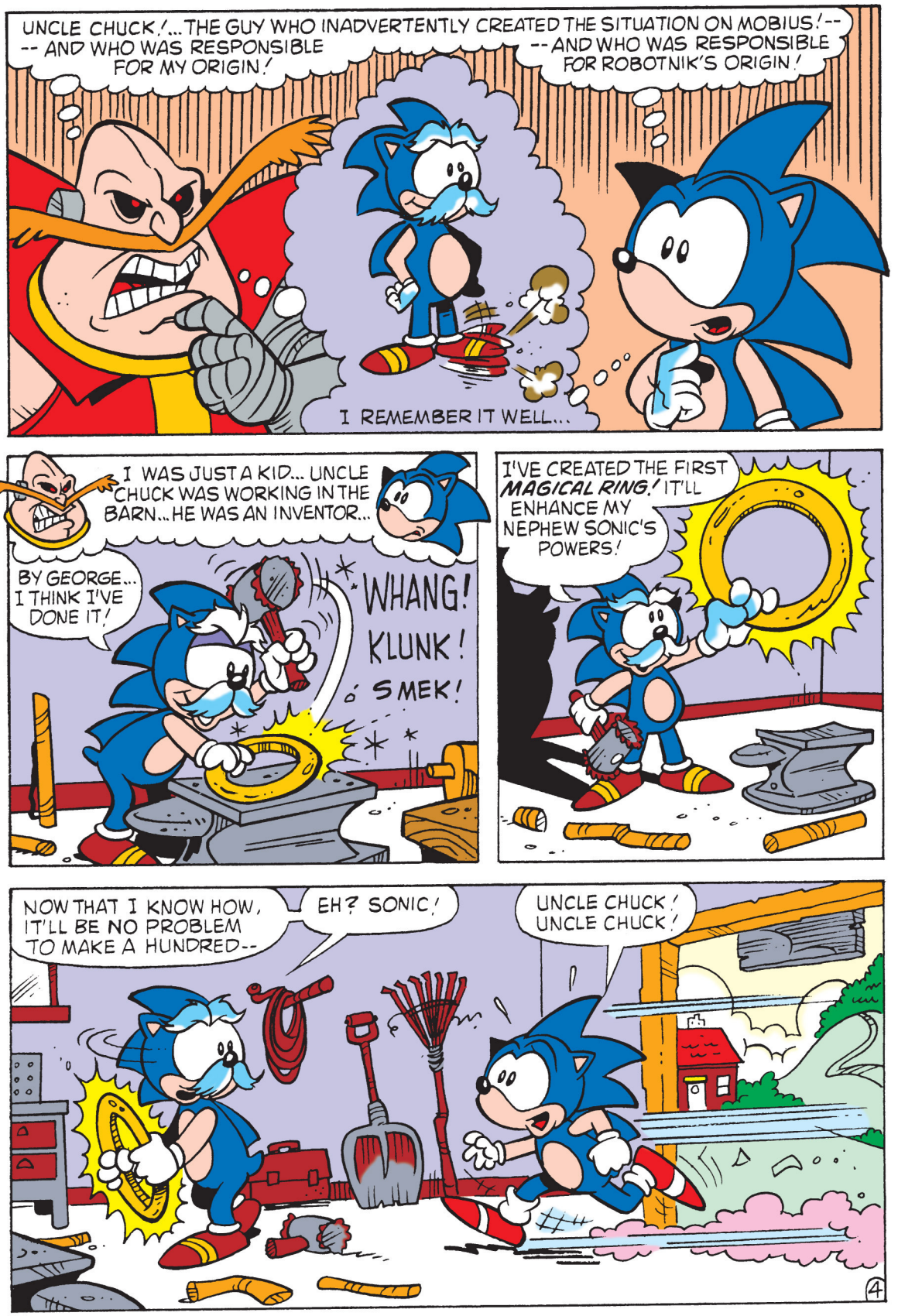
UNCLE CHUCK!...THE GUY WHO INADVERTENTLY CREATED THE SITUATION ON MOBIUS!--
--AND WHO WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR MY ORIGIN!
--AND WHO WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR ROBOTNIK'S ORIGIN!
I REMEMBER IT WELL...
I WAS JUST A KID... UNCLE CHUCK WAS WORKING IN THE BARN...HE WAS AN INVENTOR...
BY GEORGE... I THINK I'VE DONE IT!
WHANG!
KLUNK!
SMEK!
I'VE CREATED THE FIRST MAGICAL RING! IT'LL ENHANCE MY NEPHEW SONIC'S POWERS!
NOW THAT I KNOW HOW, IT'LL BE NO PROBLEM TO MAKE A HUNDRED--
EH? SONIC!
UNCLE CHUCK! UNCLE CHUCK!
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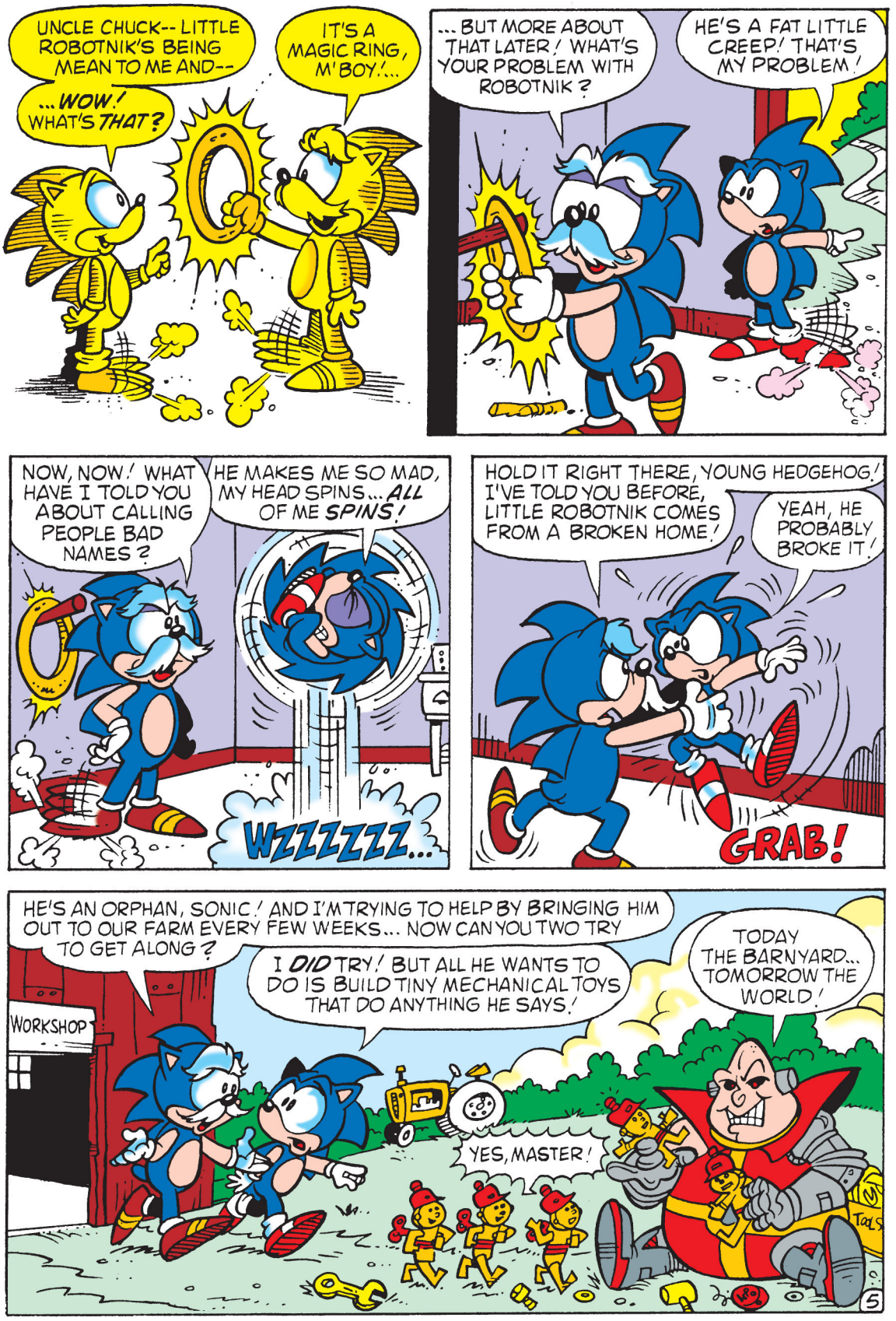
UNCLE CHUCK-- LITTLE ROBOTNIK'S BEING MEAN TO ME AND--
...WOW! WHAT'S THAT?
IT'S A MAGIC RING, M'BOY!...
...BUT MORE ABOUT THAT LATER! WHAT'S YOUR PROBLEM WITH ROBOTNIK?
HE'S A FAT LITTLE CREEP! THAT'S MY PROBLEM!
NOW, NOW! WHAT HAVE I TOLD YOU ABOUT CALLING PEOPLE BAD NAMES?
HE MAKES ME SO MAD, MY HEAD SPINS... ALL OF ME SPINS!
WZZZZZZ...
HOLD IT RIGHT THERE, YOUNG HEDGEHOG! I'VE TOLD YOU BEFORE, LITTLE ROBOTNIK COMES FROM A BROKEN HOME!
YEAH, HE PROBABLY BROKE IT!
GRAB!
HE'S AN ORPHAN, SONIC! AND I'M TRYING TO HELP BY BRINGING HIM OUT TO OUR FARM EVERY FEW WEEKS... NOW CAN YOU TWO TRY TO GET ALONG?
I DID TRY! BUT ALL HE WANTS TO DO IS BUILD TINY MECHANICAL TOYS THAT DO ANYTHING HE SAYS!
TODAY THE BARNYARD... TOMORROW THE WORLD!
WORKSHOP
YES, MASTER!
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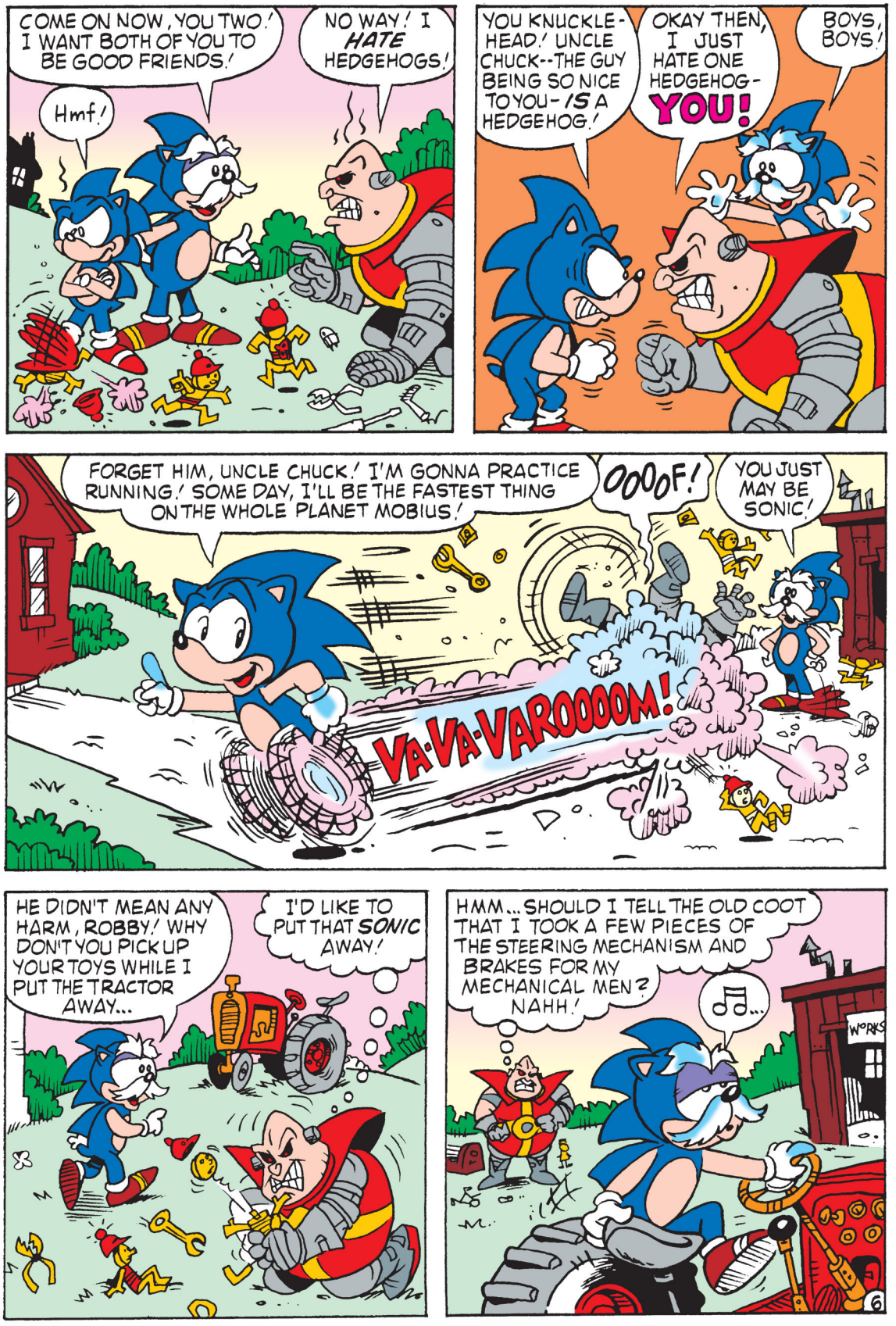
COME ON NOW, YOU TWO! I WANT BOTH OF YOU TO BE GOOD FRIENDS!
NO WAY! I HATE HEDGEHOGS!
Hmf!
YOU KNUCKLE-HEAD! UNCLE CHUCK--THE GUY BEING SO NICE TO YOU--IS A HEDGEHOG!
OKAY THEN, I JUST HATE ONE HEDGEHOG--YOU!
BOYS, BOYS!
FORGET HIM, UNCLE CHUCK! I'M GONNA PRACTICE RUNNING! SOME DAY, I'LL BE THE FASTEST THING ON THE WHOLE PLANET MOBIUS!
OOOOF!
YOU JUST MAY BE SONIC!
VA-VA-VAROOOOM!
HE DIDN'T MEAN ANY HARM, ROBBY! WHY DON'T YOU PICK UP YOUR TOYS WHILE I PUT THE TRACTOR AWAY...
I'D LIKE TO PUT THAT SONIC AWAY!
HMM... SHOULD I TELL THE OLD COOT THAT I TOOK A FEW PIECES OF THE STEERING MECHANISM AND BRAKES FOR MY MECHANICAL MEN? NAHH!
♫...
WORKS
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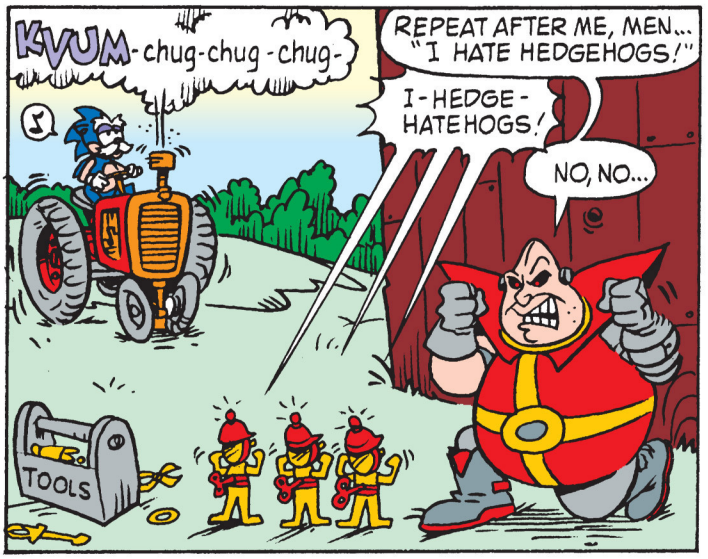
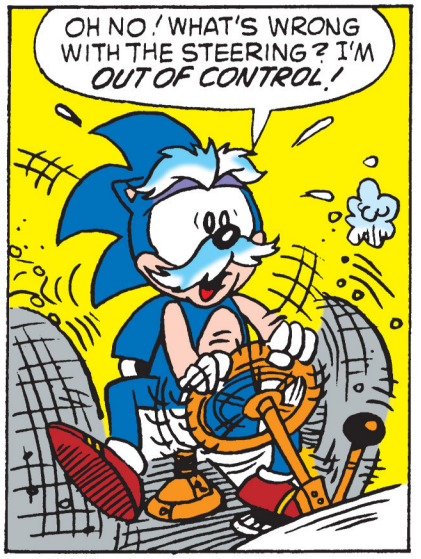
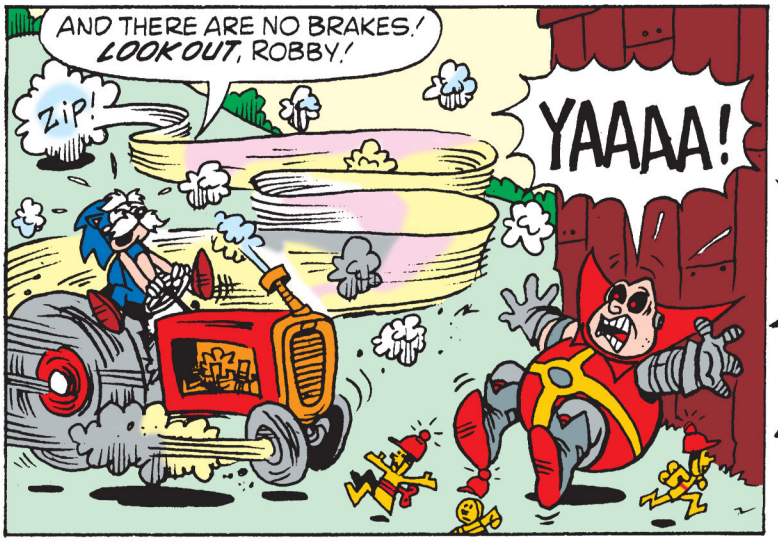
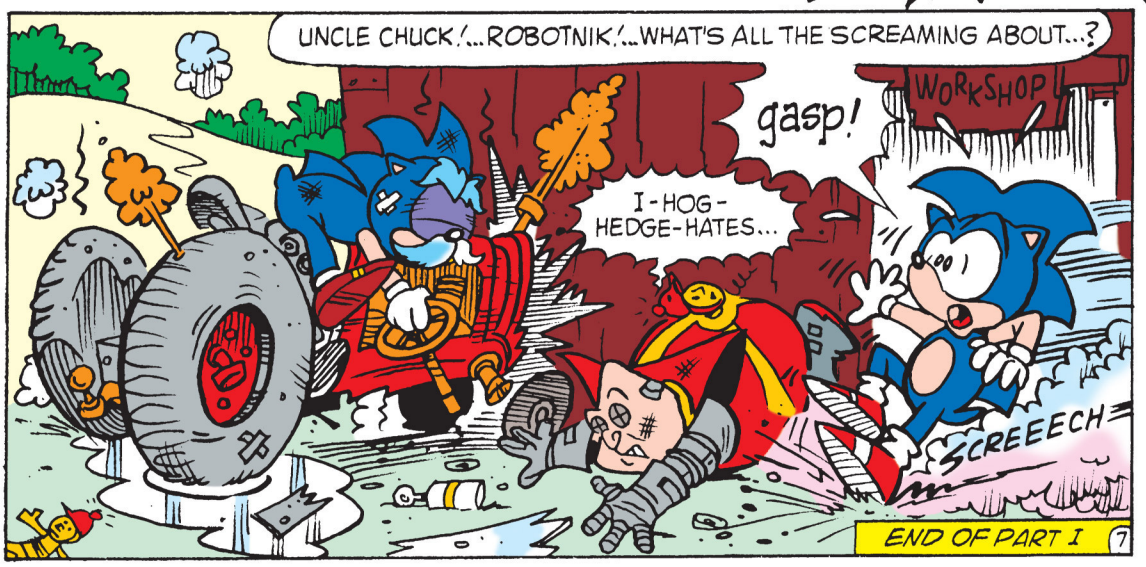
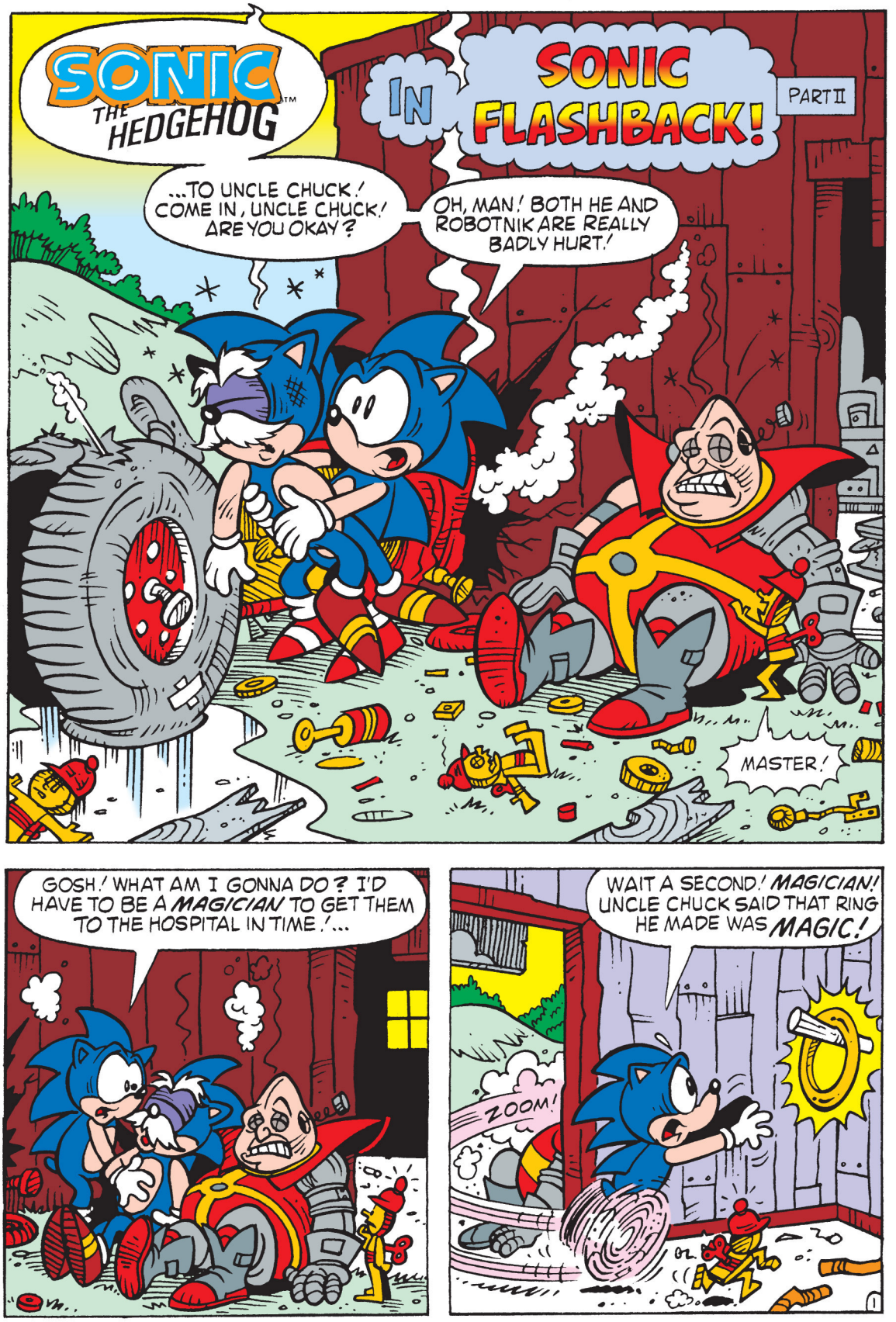

KVUM-chug-chug-chug-
REPEAT AFTER ME, MEN... "I HATE HEDGEHOGS!"
I-HEDGE-HATEHOGS!
NO, NO...
TOOLS

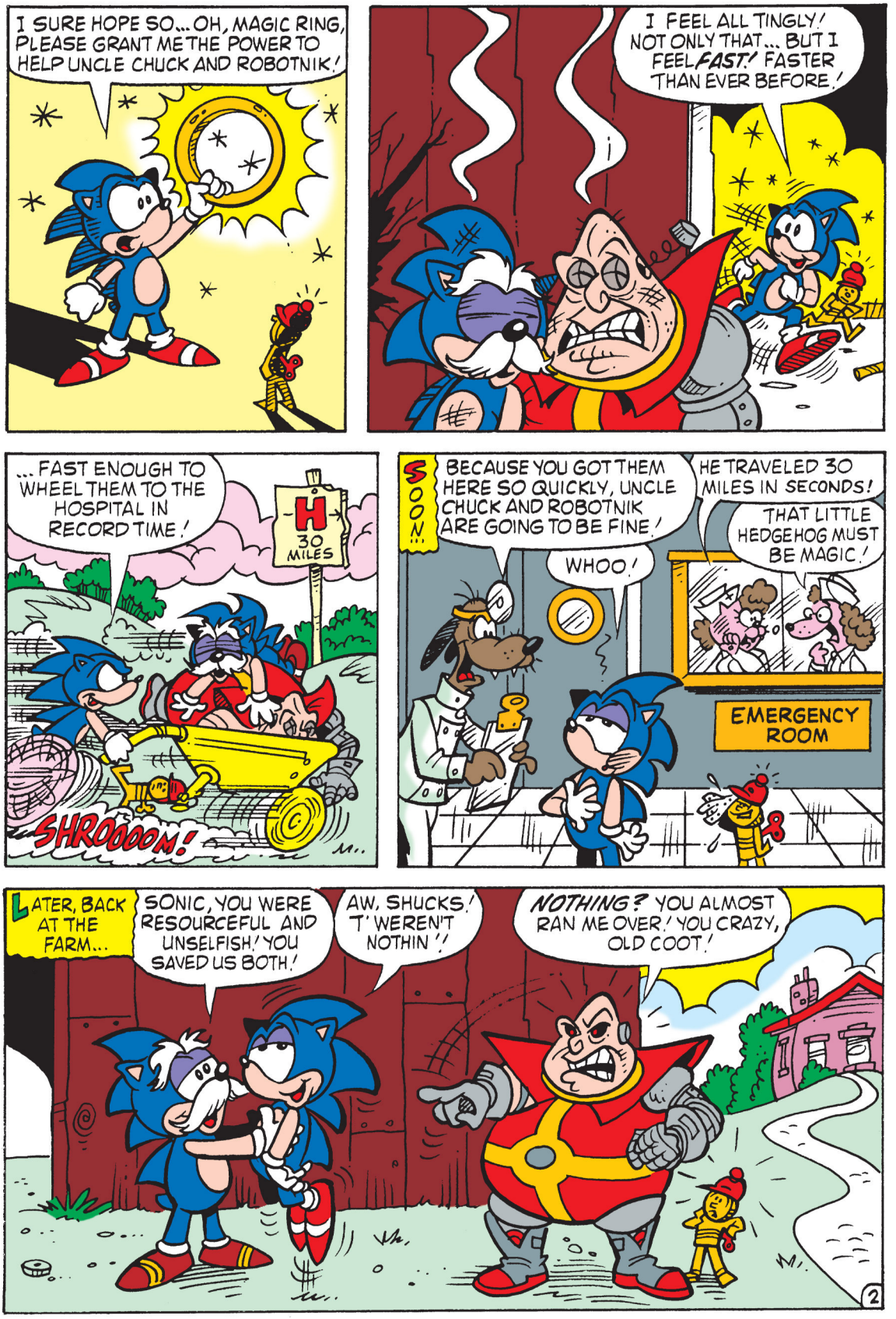

OH NO! WHAT'S WRONG WITH THE STEERING? I'M OUT OF CONTROL!


AND THERE ARE NO BRAKES! LOOK OUT, ROBBY!
ZIP!
YAAAA!

KA-BASH!


UNCLE CHUCK!...ROBOTNIK!...WHAT'S ALL THE SCREAMING ABOUT...?
gasp!
WORKSHOP
I-HOG-HEDGE-HATES...
SCREEECH
END OF PART I


SONIC THE HEDGEHOG™
IN SONIC FLASHBACK!
PART II
...TO UNCLE CHUCK! COME IN, UNCLE CHUCK! ARE YOU OKAY?
OH, MAN! BOTH HE AND ROBOTNIK ARE REALLY BADLY HURT!
MASTER!
GOSH! WHAT AM I GONNA DO? I'D HAVE TO BE A MAGICIAN TO GET THEM TO THE HOSPITAL IN TIME!...
WAIT A SECOND! MAGICIAN! UNCLE CHUCK SAID THAT RING HE MADE WAS MAGIC!
ZOOM!


I SURE HOPE SO... OH, MAGIC RING, PLEASE GRANT ME THE POWER TO HELP UNCLE CHUCK AND ROBOTNIK!
I FEEL ALL TINGLY! NOT ONLY THAT... BUT I FEEL FAST! FASTER THAN EVER BEFORE!
... FAST ENOUGH TO WHEEL THEM TO THE HOSPITAL IN RECORD TIME!
H
30 MILES
SHROOOOM!
SOON...
BECAUSE YOU GOT THEM HERE SO QUICKLY, UNCLE CHUCK AND ROBOTNIK ARE GOING TO BE FINE!
HE TRAVELED 30 MILES IN SECONDS!
THAT LITTLE HEDGEHOG MUST BE MAGIC!
WHOO!
EMERGENCY ROOM
LATER, BACK AT THE FARM...
SONIC, YOU WERE RESOURCEFUL AND UNSELFISH! YOU SAVED US BOTH!
AW, SHUCKS! T' WEREN'T NOTHIN'!
NOTHING? YOU ALMOST RAN ME OVER! YOU CRAZY, OLD COOT!
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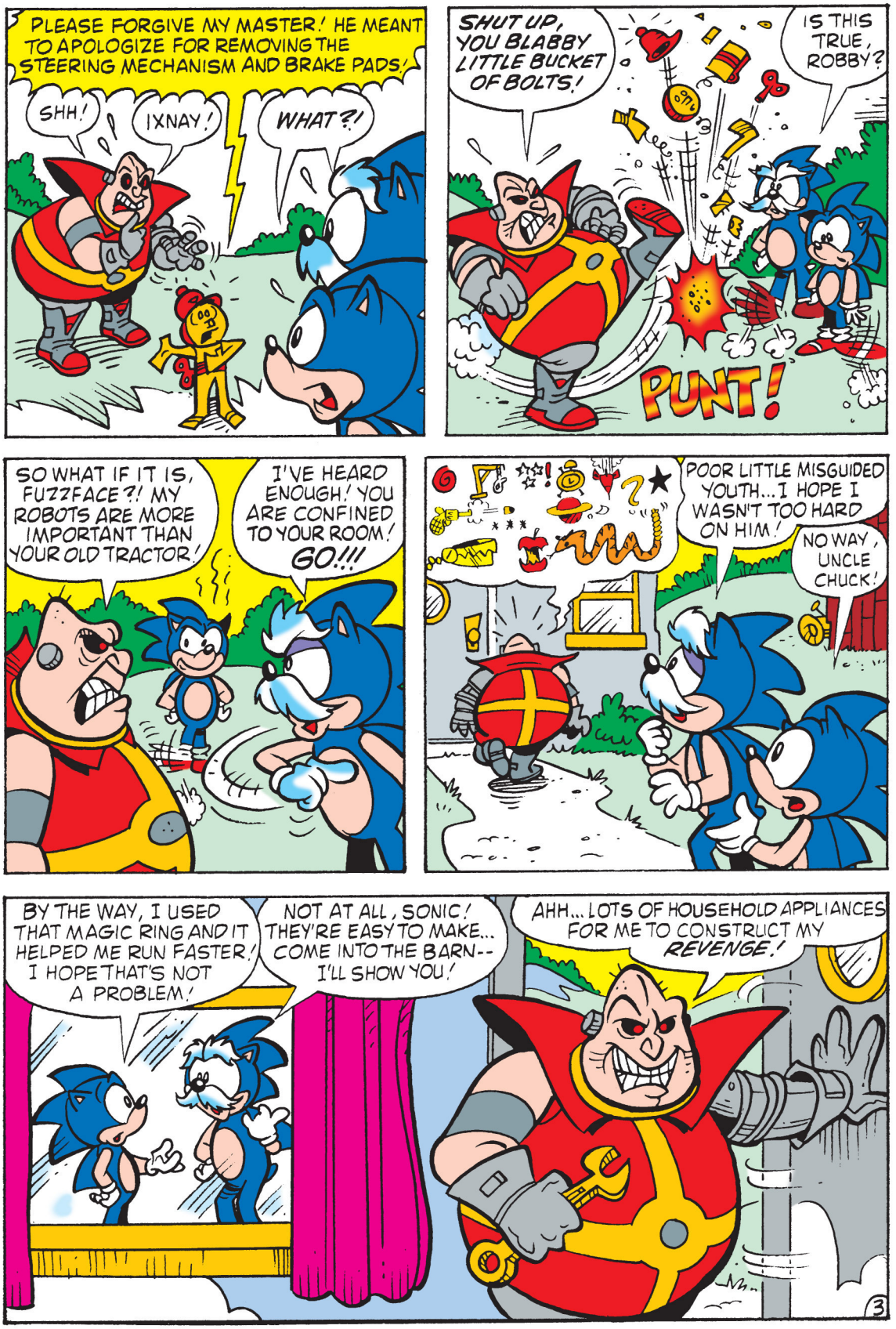
PLEASE FORGIVE MY MASTER! HE MEANT TO APOLOGIZE FOR REMOVING THE STEERING MECHANISM AND BRAKE PADS!
SHH!
IXNAY!
WHAT?!
SHUT UP, YOU BLABBY LITTLE BUCKET OF BOLTS!
IS THIS TRUE, ROBBY?
PUNT!
SO WHAT IF IT IS, FUZZFACE?! MY ROBOTS ARE MORE IMPORTANT THAN YOUR OLD TRACTOR!
I'VE HEARD ENOUGH! YOU ARE CONFINED TO YOUR ROOM! GO!!!
POOR LITTLE MISGUIDED YOUTH... I HOPE I WASN'T TOO HARD ON HIM!
NO WAY, UNCLE CHUCK!
BY THE WAY, I USED THAT MAGIC RING AND IT HELPED ME RUN FASTER! I HOPE THAT'S NOT A PROBLEM!
NOT AT ALL, SONIC! THEY'RE EASY TO MAKE... COME INTO THE BARN-- I'LL SHOW YOU!
AHH... LOTS OF HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCES FOR ME TO CONSTRUCT MY REVENGE!
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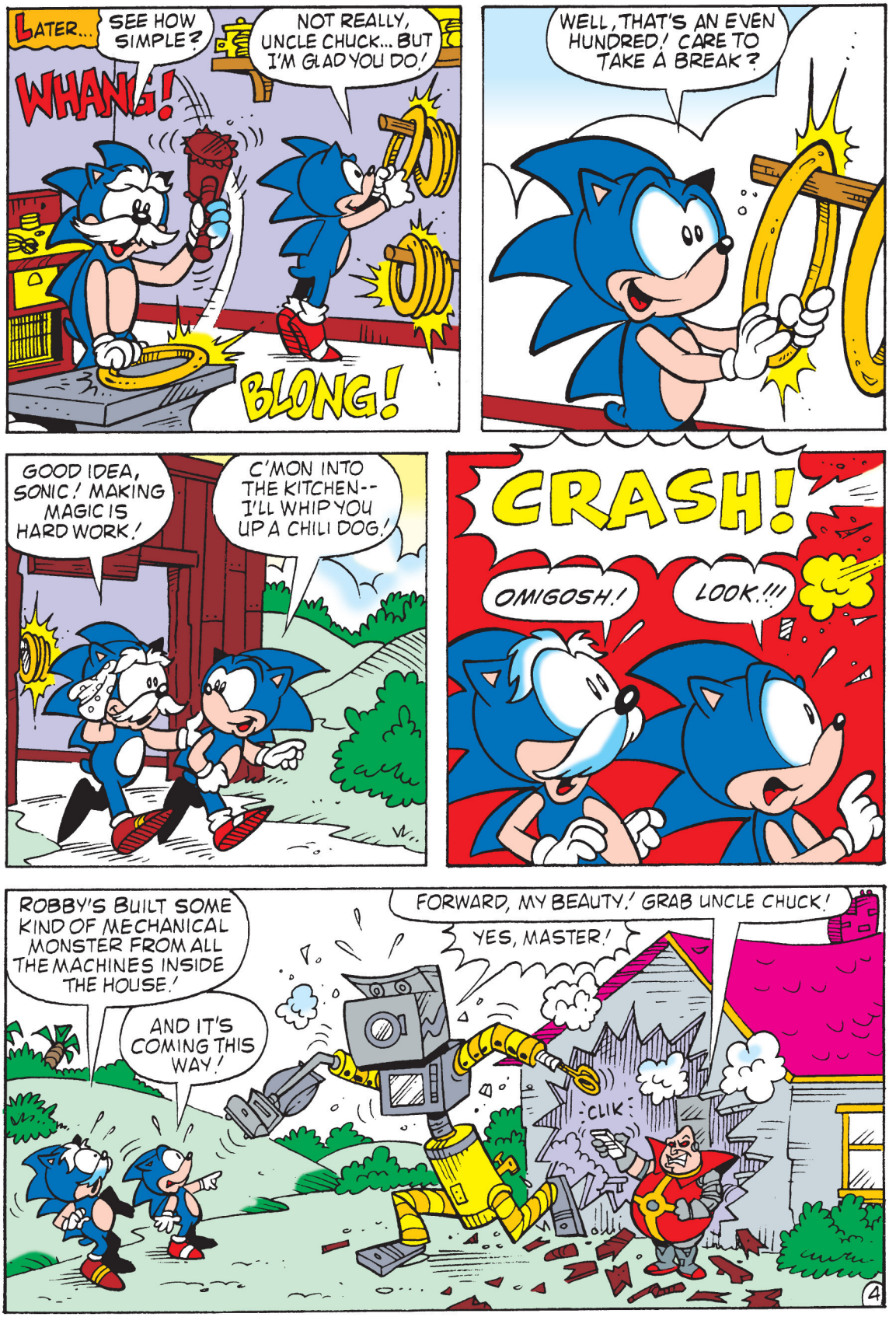
LATER...
SEE HOW SIMPLE?
NOT REALLY, UNCLE CHUCK... BUT I'M GLAD YOU DO!
WHANG!
BLONG!
WELL, THAT'S AN EVEN HUNDRED! CARE TO TAKE A BREAK?
GOOD IDEA, SONIC! MAKING MAGIC IS HARD WORK!
C'MON INTO THE KITCHEN-- I'LL WHIP YOU UP A CHILI DOG!
CRASH!
OMIGOSH!
LOOK!!!
ROBBY'S BUILT SOME KIND OF MECHANICAL MONSTER FROM ALL THE MACHINES INSIDE THE HOUSE!
AND IT'S COMING THIS WAY!
FORWARD, MY BEAUTY! GRAB UNCLE CHUCK!
YES, MASTER!
CLIK
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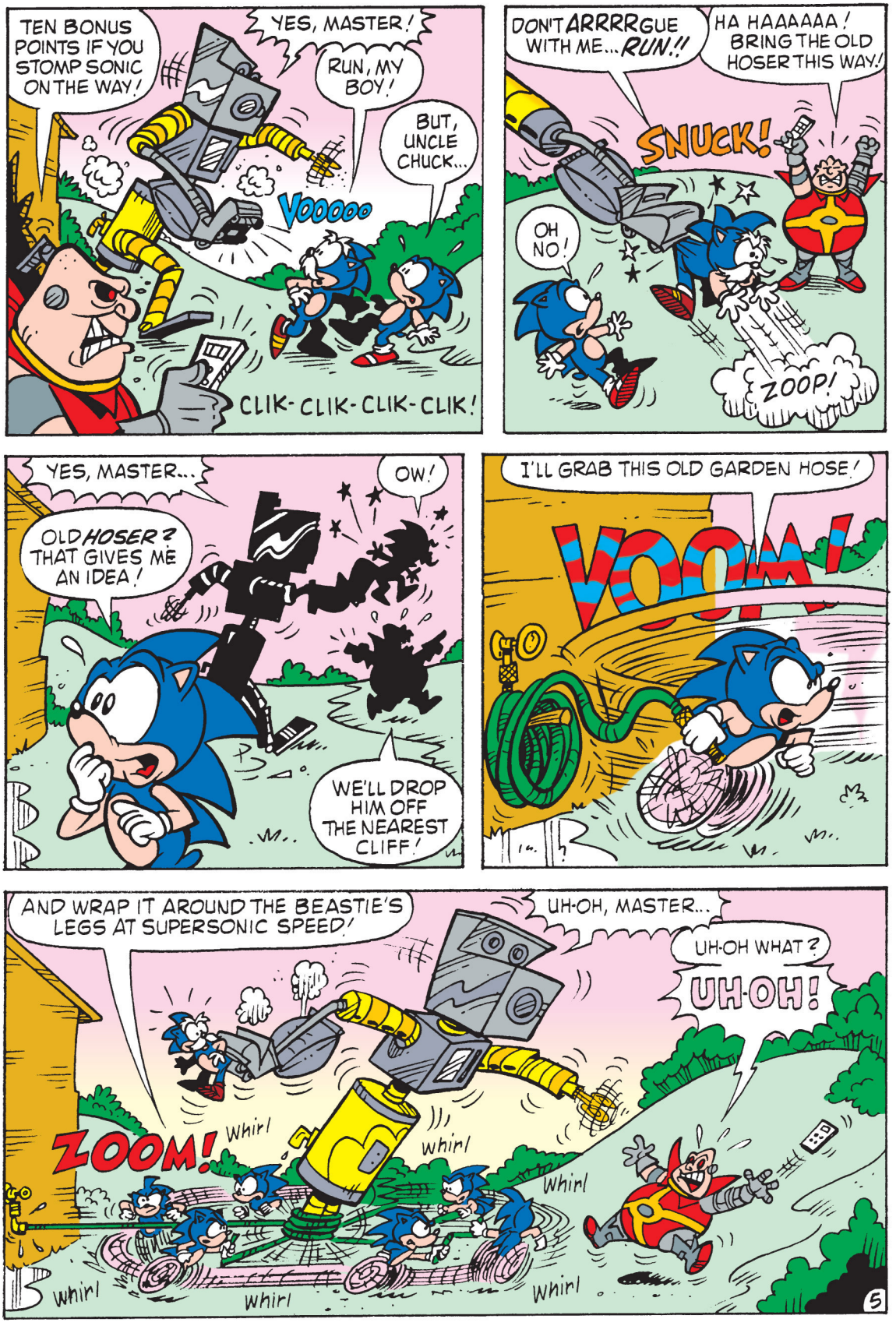
TEN BONUS POINTS IF YOU STOMP SONIC ON THE WAY!
YES, MASTER!
RUN, MY BOY!
BUT, UNCLE CHUCK...
VOOOOO
CLIK-CLIK-CLIK-CLIK!
DON'T ARRRRGUE WITH ME... RUN!!
HA HAAAAAA! BRING THE OLD HOSER THIS WAY!
SNUCK!
OH NO!
ZOOP!
YES, MASTER...
OW!
OLD HOSER? THAT GIVES ME AN IDEA!
WE'LL DROP HIM OFF THE NEAREST CLIFF!
I'LL GRAB THIS OLD GARDEN HOSE!
VOOM!
AND WRAP IT AROUND THE BEASTIE'S LEGS AT SUPERSONIC SPEED!
UH-OH, MASTER...
UH-OH WHAT?
UH-OH!
ZOOM!
Whirl
Whirl
Whirl
Whirl
Whirl
Whirl
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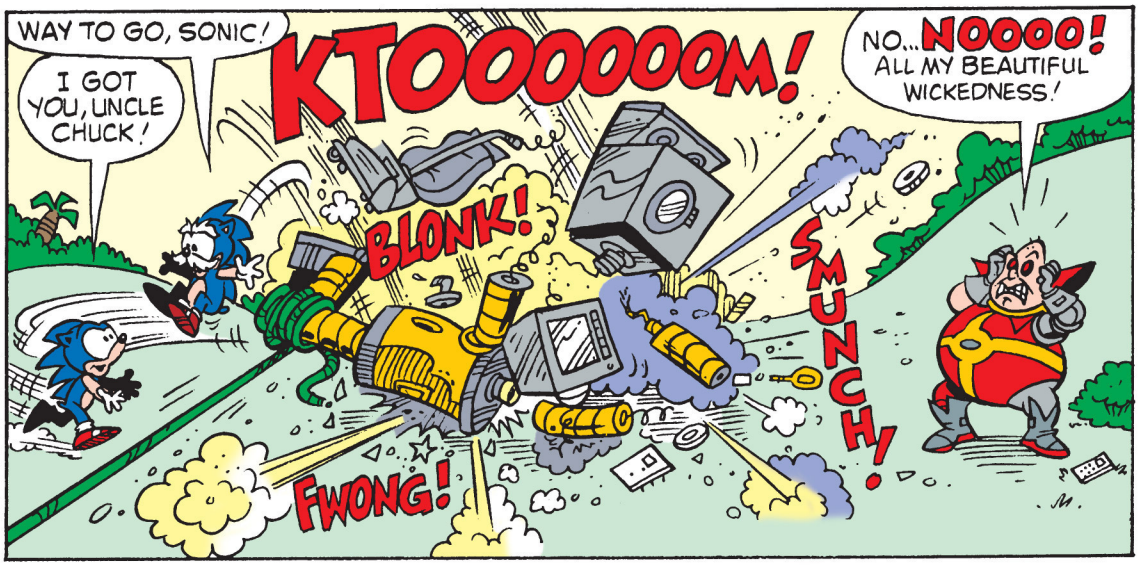
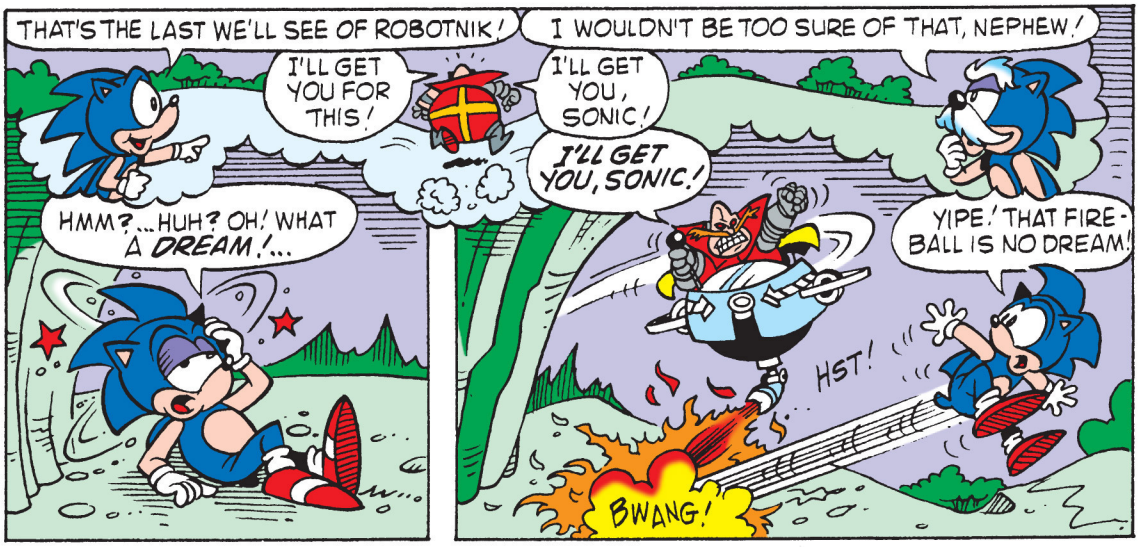
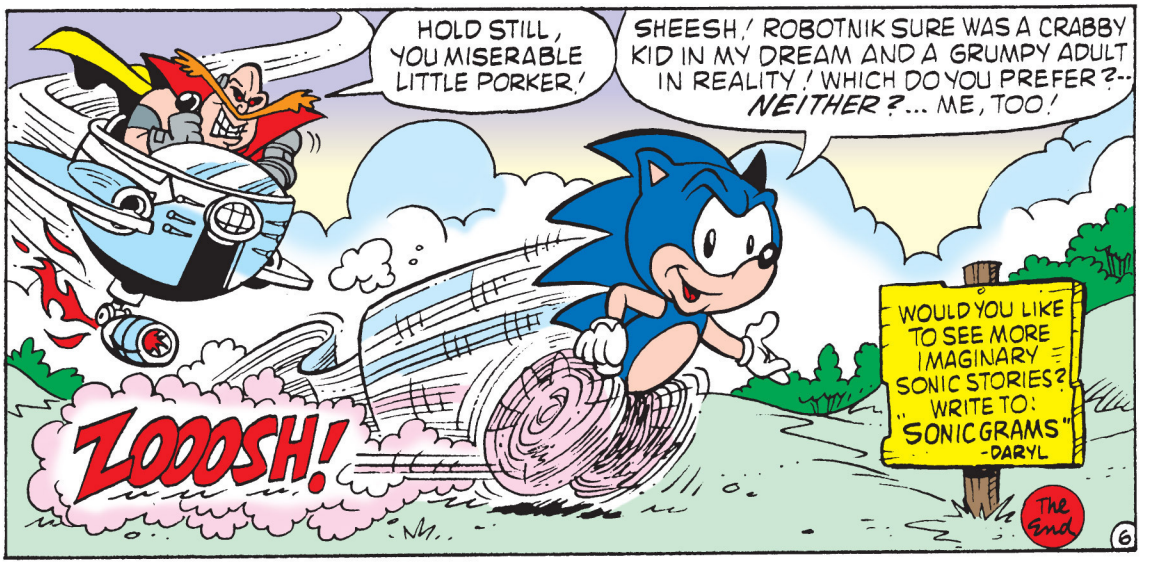

WAY TO GO, SONIC!
I GOT YOU, UNCLE CHUCK!
KTOOOOOOM!
NO... NOOOO! ALL MY BEAUTIFUL WICKEDNESS!
BLONK!
SMUNCH!
FWONG!


THAT'S THE LAST WE'LL SEE OF ROBOTNIK!
I'LL GET YOU FOR THIS!
HMM?... HUH? OH! WHAT A DREAM!...
I WOULDN'T BE TOO SURE OF THAT, NEPHEW!
I'LL GET YOU, SONIC!
I'LL GET YOU, SONIC!
YIPE! THAT FIRE-BALL IS NO DREAM!
HST!
BWANG!


HOLD STILL, YOU MISERABLE LITTLE PORKER!
SHEESH! ROBOTNIK SURE WAS A CRABBY KID IN MY DREAM AND A GRUMPY ADULT IN REALITY! WHICH DO YOU PREFER?-- NEITHER?... ME, TOO!
ZOOOSH!
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PART I
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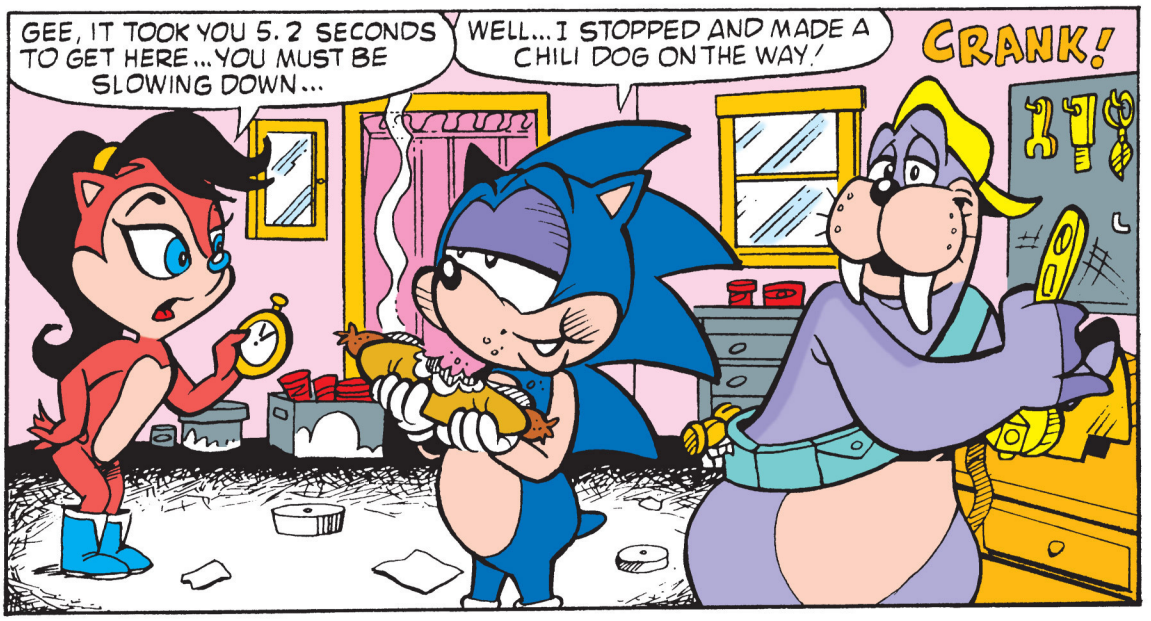
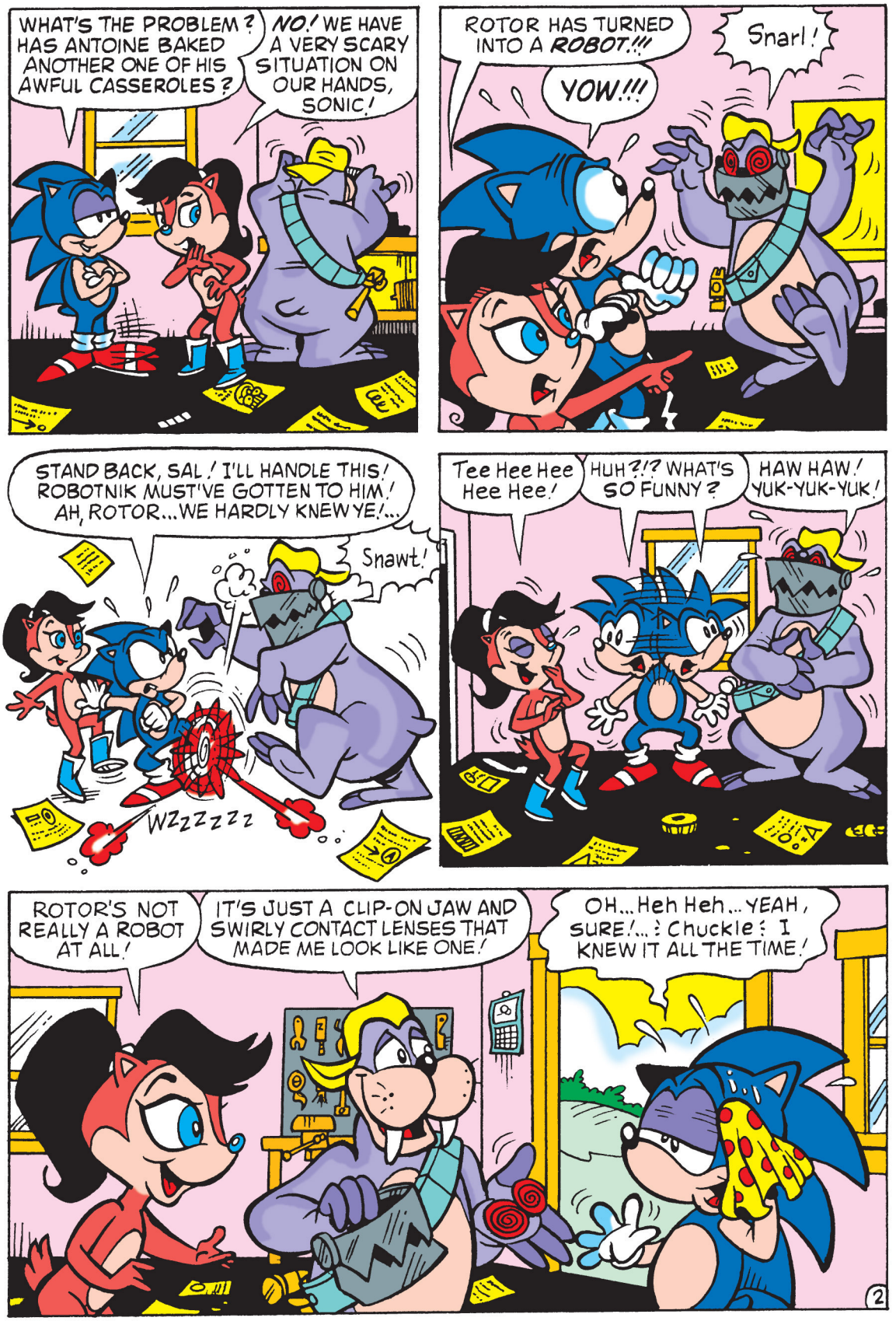

GEE, IT TOOK YOU 5.2 SECONDS TO GET HERE...YOU MUST BE SLOWING DOWN...
WELL...I STOPPED AND MADE A CHILI DOG ON THE WAY!
CRANK!


WHAT'S THE PROBLEM? HAS ANTOINE BAKED ANOTHER ONE OF HIS AWFUL CASSEROLES?
NO! WE HAVE A VERY SCARY SITUATION ON OUR HANDS, SONIC!
ROTOR HAS TURNED INTO A ROBOT.!!!
YOW!!!
Snarl!
STAND BACK, SAL! I'LL HANDLE THIS! ROBOTNIK MUST'VE GOTTEN TO HIM! AH, ROTOR...WE HARDLY KNEW YE!...
Snawt!
WZZZZZZ
Tee Hee Hee Hee Hee!
HUH?!? WHAT'S SO FUNNY?
HAW HAW! YUK-YUK-YUK!
ROTOR'S NOT REALLY A ROBOT AT ALL!
IT'S JUST A CLIP-ON JAW AND SWIRLY CONTACT LENSES THAT MADE ME LOOK LIKE ONE!
OH...Heh Heh...YEAH, SURE!...: Chuckle: I KNEW IT ALL THE TIME!

SURE YOU DID! ANYWAY, HERE'S THE PLAN... GO AHEAD ROTOR!
HOLD STILL, SONIC!
HEY! OW! EASY ON THE MERCHANDISE!
PERFECT!
WHOA! THESE CONTACTS! WHERE AM I?...
NOT BAD IF I DO SAY SO MYSELF!
AH... NOW IT'S COMING INTO FOCUS ... NICE WORK, ROTOR!
THANKS!
AND OUR SCHEME SHOULD ALSO BE COMING INTO FOCUS!
HERE'S HOW IT'S GOING TO GO DOWN... WE Hmmm BZZZZ WSPP-ROBOTNIK... Hsssh... YOU... Wsssh...
OH YEAH... OH YEAH! IT'LL WORK!
A SHORT TIME LATER, IN THE GREAT FOREST...
MUST... KILL... SALLY...
HELP! SAVE ME, TAILS!
IT'S PRINCESS SALLY BEING CHASED BY OH NO! IT CAN'T BE!!!
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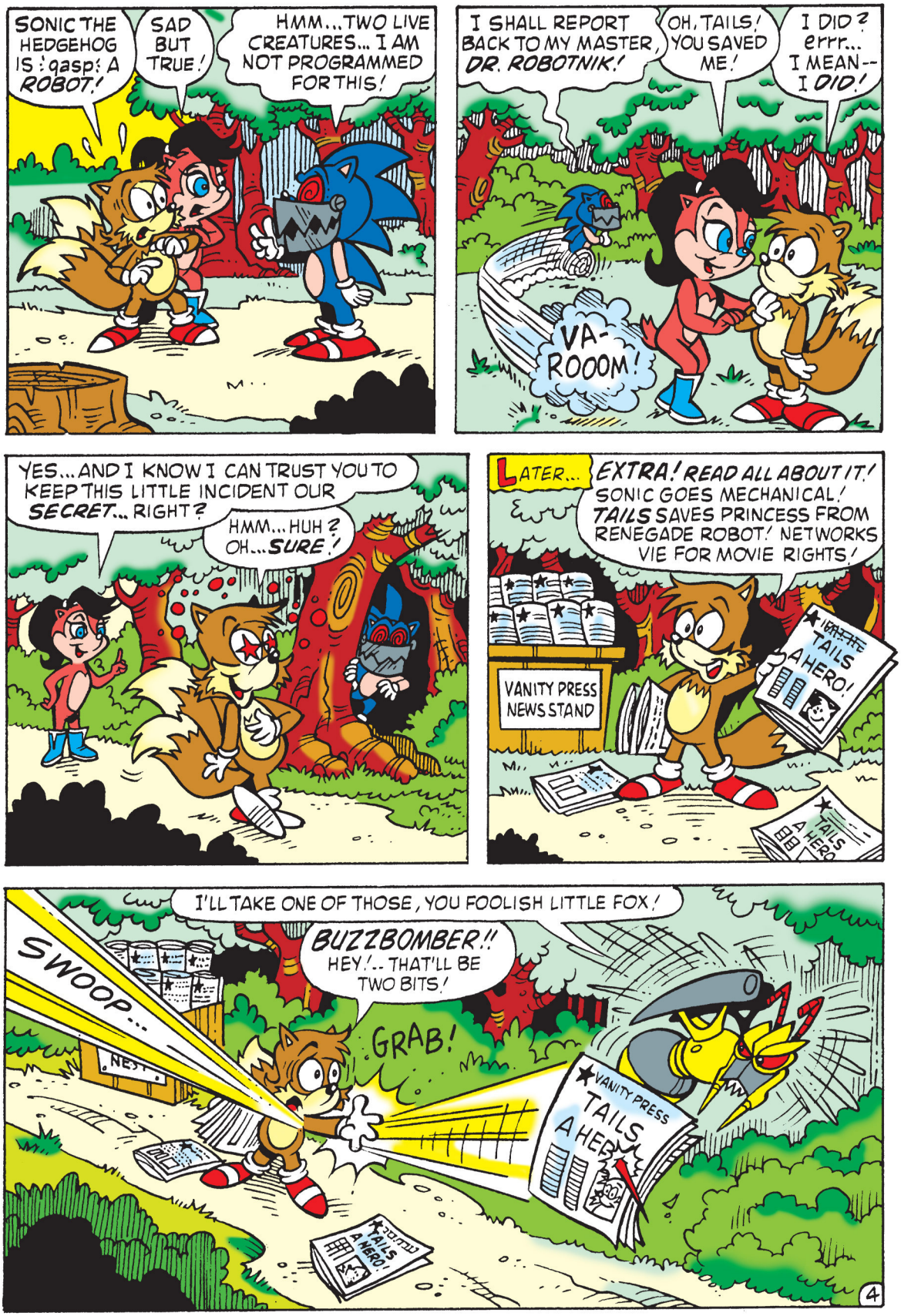
SONIC THE HEDGEHOG IS ! gasp ! A ROBOT!
SAD BUT TRUE!
HMM... TWO LIVE CREATURES... I AM NOT PROGRAMMED FOR THIS!
I SHALL REPORT BACK TO MY MASTER, DR. ROBOTNIK!
OH, TAILS! YOU SAVED ME!
I DID? errr... I MEAN-- I DID!
VA-ROOOM!
YES... AND I KNOW I CAN TRUST YOU TO KEEP THIS LITTLE INCIDENT OUR SECRET... RIGHT?
HMM... HUH? OH... SURE!
LATER...
EXTRA! READ ALL ABOUT IT! SONIC GOES MECHANICAL! TAILS SAVES PRINCESS FROM RENEGADE ROBOT! NETWORKS VIE FOR MOVIE RIGHTS!
VANITY PRESS NEWS STAND
TAILS A HERO!
I'LL TAKE ONE OF THOSE, YOU FOOLISH LITTLE FOX!
BUZZBOMBER!!
HEY!-- THAT'LL BE TWO BITS!
SWOOP...
GRAB!
VANITY PRESS
TAILS A HERO!
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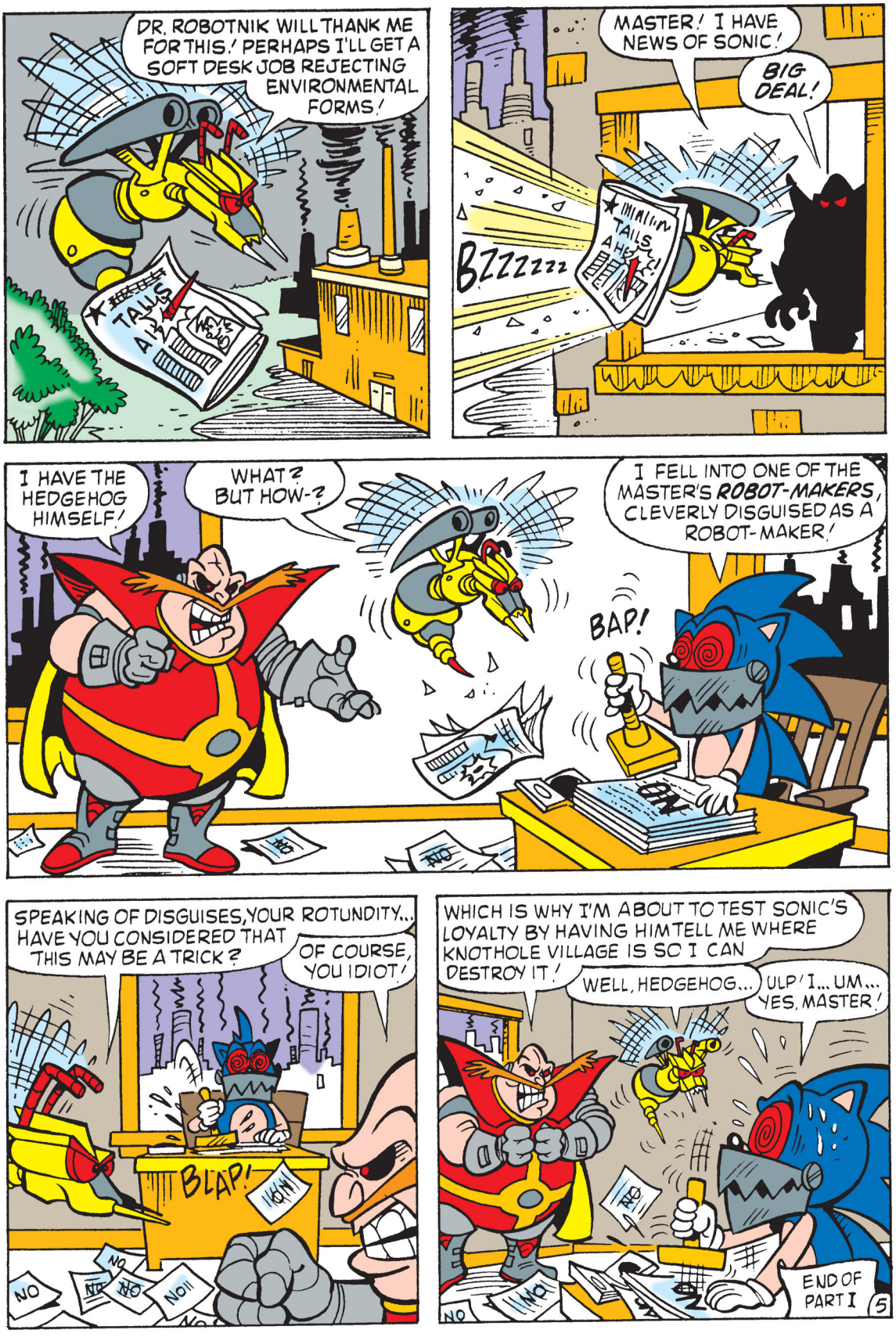
DR. ROBOTNIK WILL THANK ME FOR THIS! PERHAPS I'LL GET A SOFT DESK JOB REJECTING ENVIRONMENTAL FORMS!
TAILS
MASTER! I HAVE NEWS OF SONIC!
BIG DEAL!
BZZzzzz
I HAVE THE HEDGEHOG HIMSELF!
WHAT? BUT HOW-?
I FELL INTO ONE OF THE MASTER'S ROBOT-MAKERS, CLEVERLY DISGUISED AS A ROBOT-MAKER!
BAP!
NO
SPEAKING OF DISGUISES, YOUR ROTUNDITY... HAVE YOU CONSIDERED THAT THIS MAY BE A TRICK?
OF COURSE, YOU IDIOT!
BLAP!
WHICH IS WHY I'M ABOUT TO TEST SONIC'S LOYALTY BY HAVING HIM TELL ME WHERE KNOTHOLE VILLAGE IS SO I CAN DESTROY IT!
WELL, HEDGEHOG...
ULP! I... UM... YES, MASTER!
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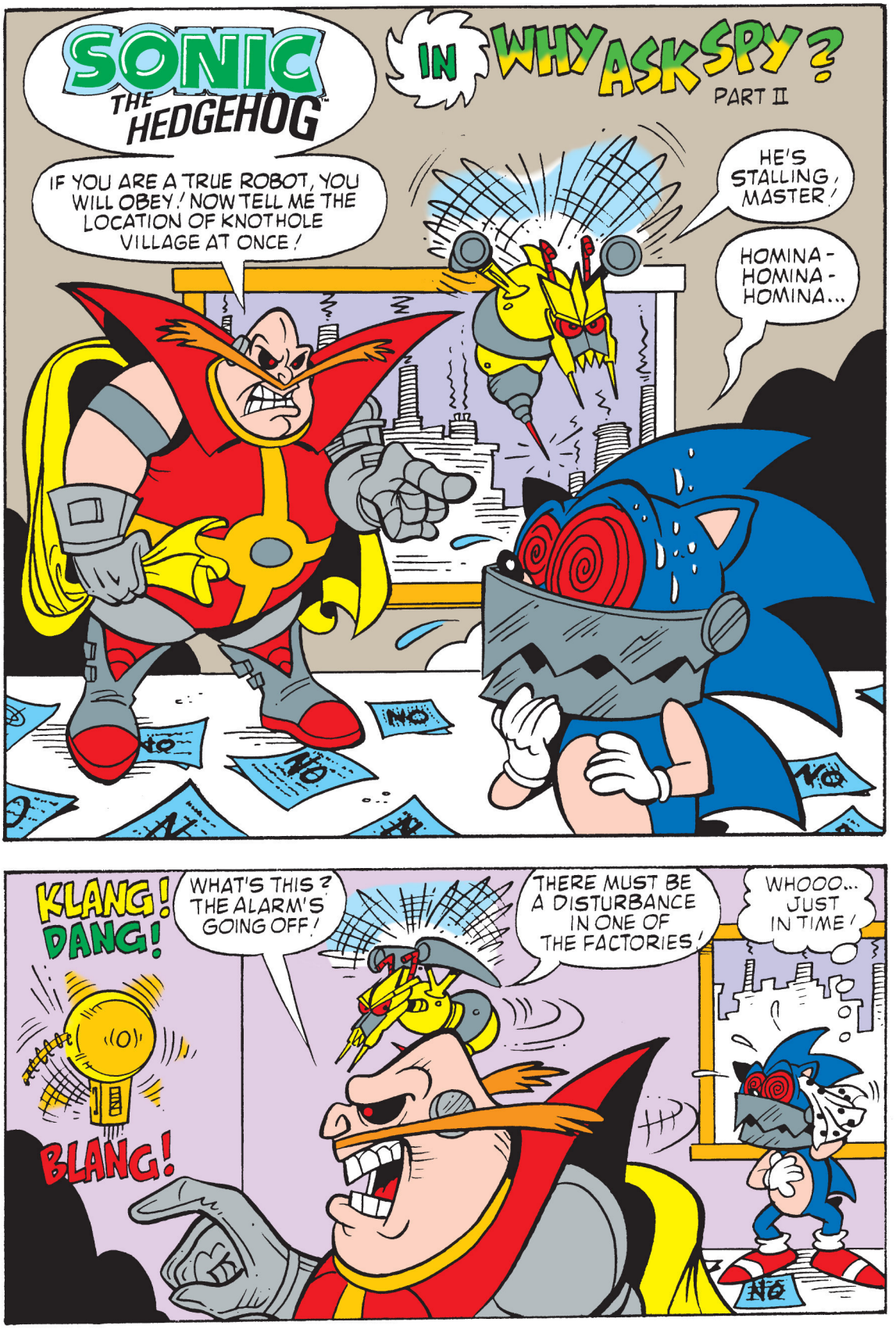
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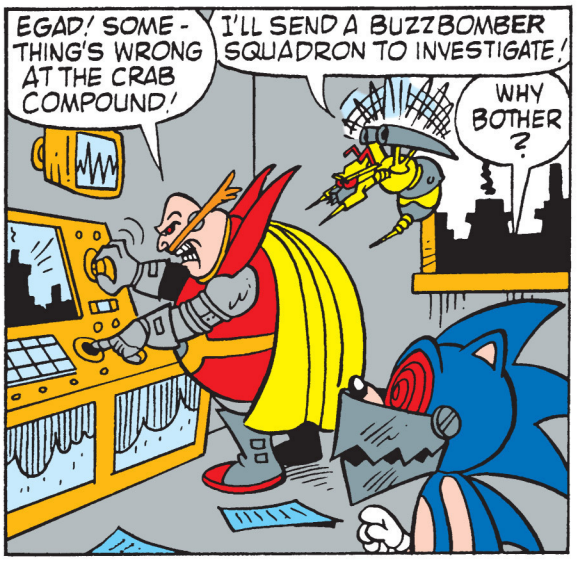
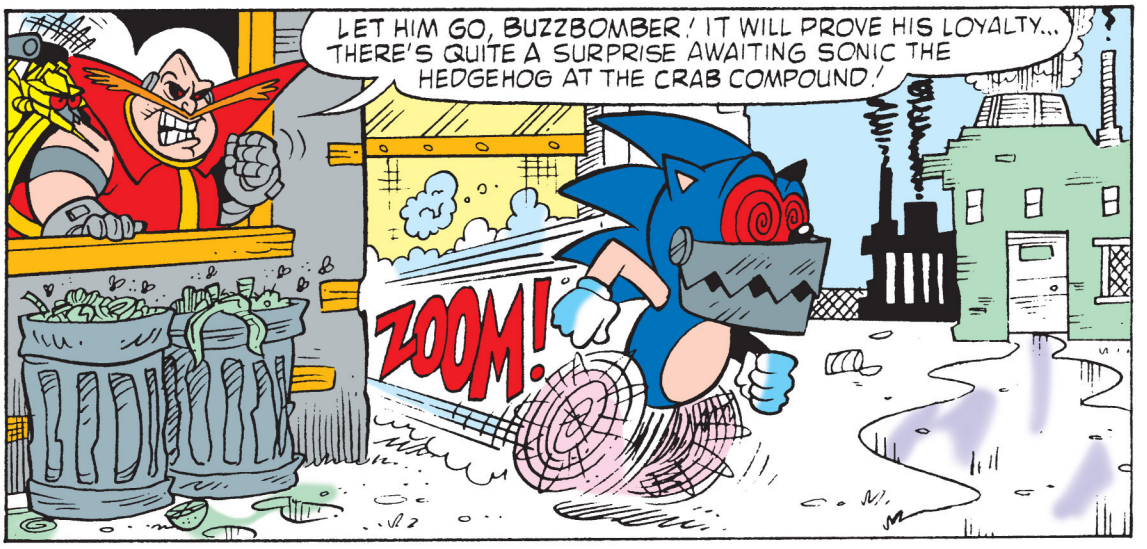
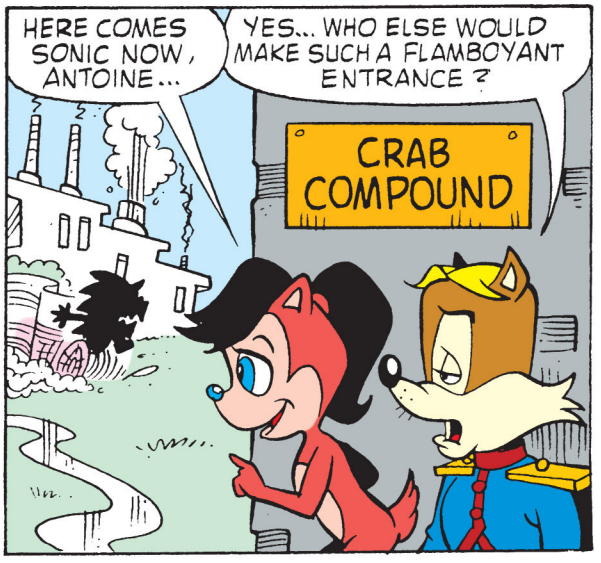
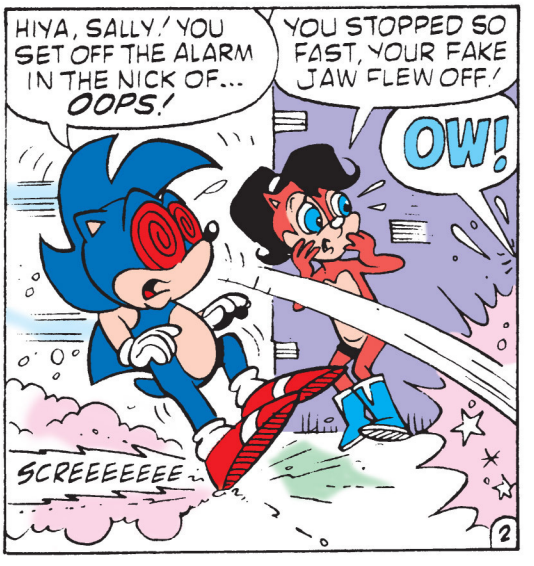
IN WHY ASK SPY?
PART II
IF YOU ARE A TRUE ROBOT, YOU WILL OBEY! NOW TELL ME THE LOCATION OF KNOTHOLE VILLAGE AT ONCE!
HE'S STALLING, MASTER!
HOMINA - HOMINA - HOMINA...
NO
KLANG! DANG!
BLANG!
WHAT'S THIS? THE ALARM'S GOING OFF!
THERE MUST BE A DISTURBANCE IN ONE OF THE FACTORIES!
WHOOO... JUST IN TIME!


EGAD! SOMETHING'S WRONG AT THE CRAB COMPOUND!
I'LL SEND A BUZZBOMBER SQUADRON TO INVESTIGATE!
WHY BOTHER?

I CAN BE THERE FASTER AND GET THE JOB DONE BETTER, OH OVAL ONE!
HMMM...
YOU-- BETTER? WHY I'LL...


LET HIM GO, BUZZBOMBER! IT WILL PROVE HIS LOYALTY... THERE'S QUITE A SURPRISE AWAITING SONIC THE HEDGEHOG AT THE CRAB COMPOUND!
ZOOM!


HERE COMES SONIC NOW, ANTOINE...
YES... WHO ELSE WOULD MAKE SUCH A FLAMBOYANT ENTRANCE?
CRAB COMPOUND


HIYA, SALLY! YOU SET OFF THE ALARM IN THE NICK OF... OOPS!
YOU STOPPED SO FAST, YOUR FAKE JAW FLEW OFF!
OW!
SCREEEEEEE...
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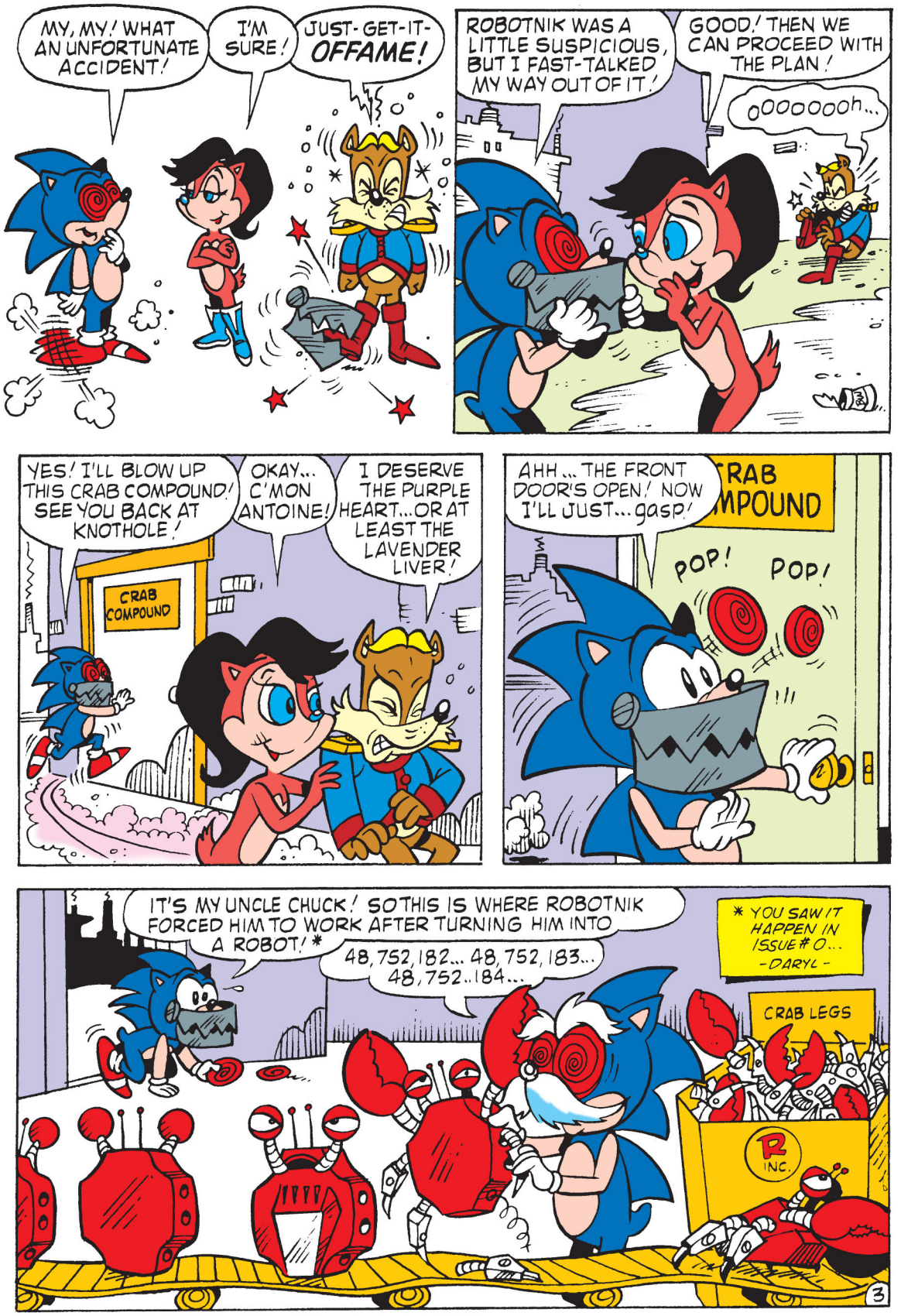
MY, MY! WHAT AN UNFORTUNATE ACCIDENT!
I'M SURE!
JUST-GET-IT-OFFAME!
ROBOTNIK WAS A LITTLE SUSPICIOUS, BUT I FAST-TALKED MY WAY OUT OF IT!
GOOD! THEN WE CAN PROCEED WITH THE PLAN!
oOOOOOOh...
YES! I'LL BLOW UP THIS CRAB COMPOUND! SEE YOU BACK AT KNOTHOLE!
OKAY... C'MON ANTOINE!
I DESERVE THE PURPLE HEART...OR AT LEAST THE LAVENDER LIVER!
CRAB COMPOUND
AHH... THE FRONT DOOR'S OPEN! NOW I'LL JUST... gasp!
POP! POP!
IT'S MY UNCLE CHUCK! SO THIS IS WHERE ROBOTNIK FORCED HIM TO WORK AFTER TURNING HIM INTO A ROBOT! *
48,752,182... 48,752,183... 48,752,184...
* YOU SAW IT HAPPEN IN ISSUE # 0... -DARYL-
CRAB LEGS
R INC.
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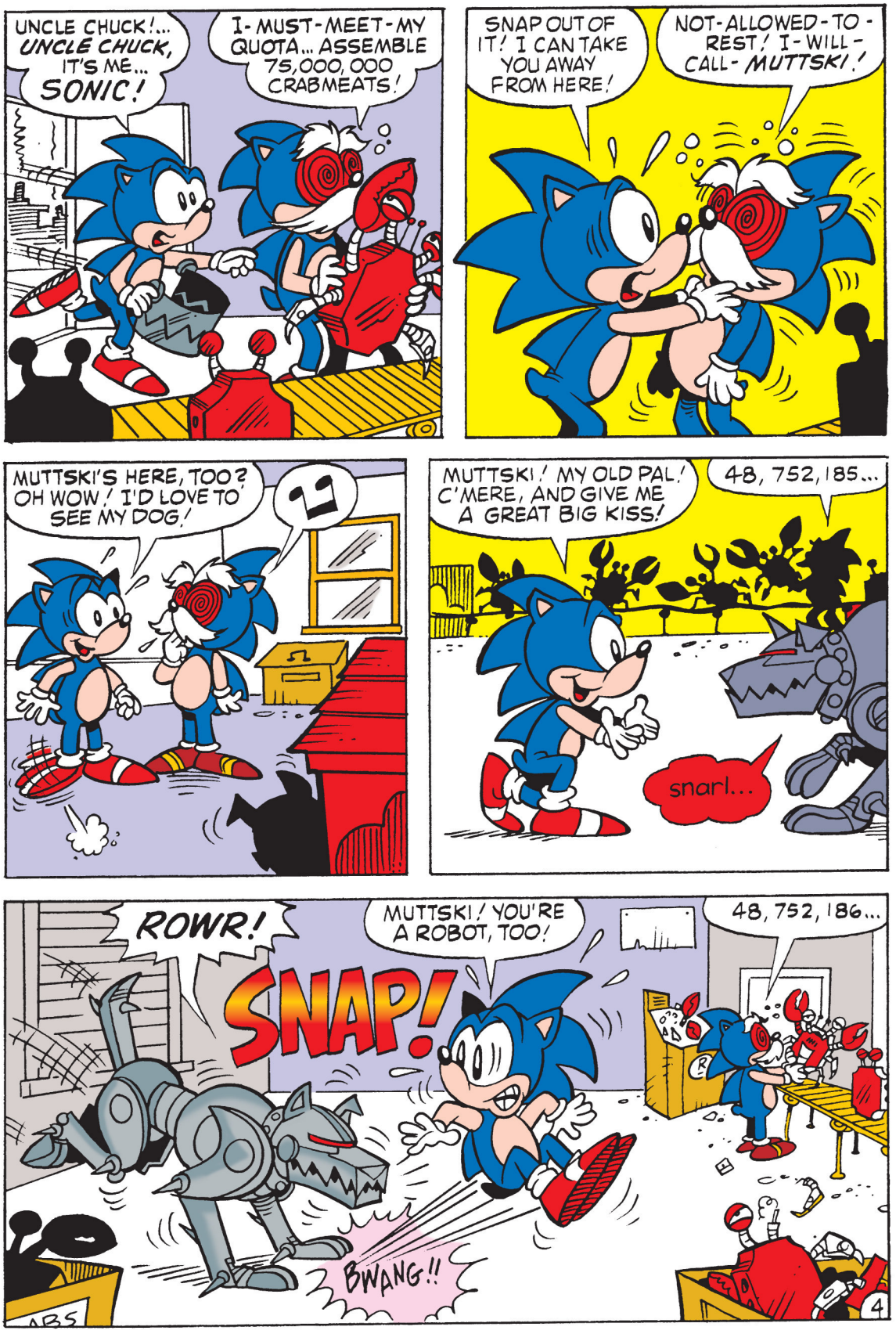
UNCLE CHUCK!... UNCLE CHUCK, IT'S ME... SONIC!
I-MUST-MEET-MY QUOTA... ASSEMBLE 75,000,000 CRABMEATS!
SNAP OUT OF IT! I CAN TAKE YOU AWAY FROM HERE!
NOT-ALLOWED-TO-REST, I-WILL-CALL-MUTTSKI!
MUTTSKI'S HERE, TOO? OH WOW! I'D LOVE TO SEE MY DOG!
?
MUTTSKI! MY OLD PAL! C'MERE, AND GIVE ME A GREAT BIG KISS!
48,752,185...
snarl...
ROWR!
MUTTSKI! YOU'RE A ROBOT, TOO!
SNAP!
48,752,186...
BWANG!!
ABS
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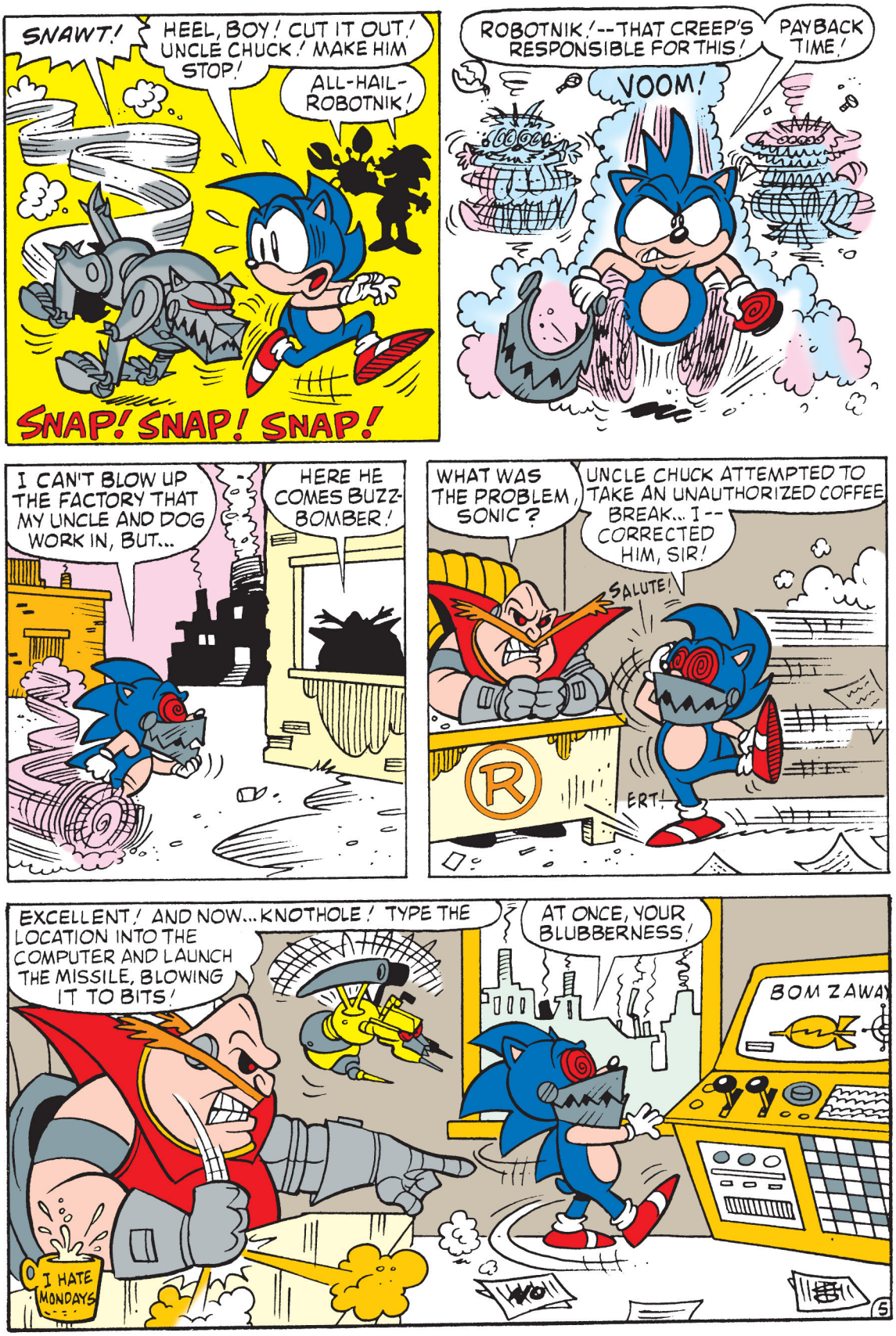
SNAWT!
HEEL, BOY! CUT IT OUT! UNCLE CHUCK! MAKE HIM STOP!
ALL-HAIL-ROBOTNIK!
SNAP! SNAP! SNAP!
ROBOTNIK!--THAT CREEP'S RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS!
PAYBACK TIME!
VOOM!
I CAN'T BLOW UP THE FACTORY THAT MY UNCLE AND DOG WORK IN, BUT...
HERE HE COMES BUZZ-BOMBER!
WHAT WAS THE PROBLEM, SONIC?
UNCLE CHUCK ATTEMPTED TO TAKE AN UNAUTHORIZED COFFEE BREAK... I--CORRECTED HIM, SIR!
SALUTE!
ERT!
EXCELLENT! AND NOW...KNOTHOLE! TYPE THE LOCATION INTO THE COMPUTER AND LAUNCH THE MISSILE, BLOWING IT TO BITS!
AT ONCE, YOUR BLUBBERNESS!
BOM ZAWA
I HATE MONDAYS
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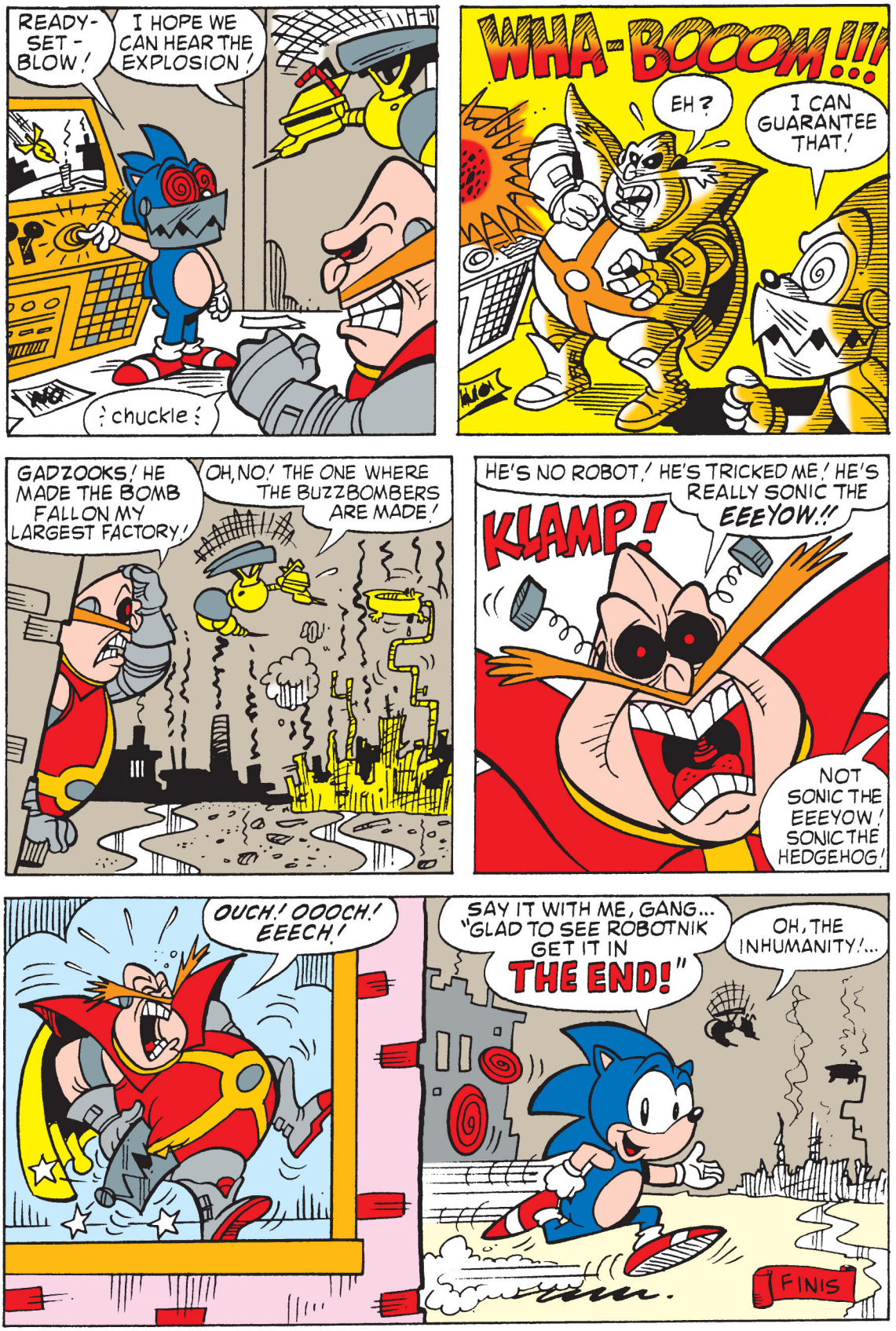
READY-SET-BLOW!
I HOPE WE CAN HEAR THE EXPLOSION!
NO!
:chuckle:
WHA-BOOOM!!!
EH?
I CAN GUARANTEE THAT!
GADZOOKS! HE MADE THE BOMB FALL ON MY LARGEST FACTORY!
OH, NO! THE ONE WHERE THE BUZZBOMBERS ARE MADE!
HE'S NO ROBOT! HE'S TRICKED ME! HE'S REALLY SONIC THE EEEYOW!!
KLAMP!
NOT SONIC THE EEEYOW! SONIC THE HEDGEHOG!
OUCH! OOOCH! EEECH!
SAY IT WITH ME, GANG... "GLAD TO SEE ROBOTNIK GET IT IN THE END!"
OH, THE INHUMANITY!...
FINIS